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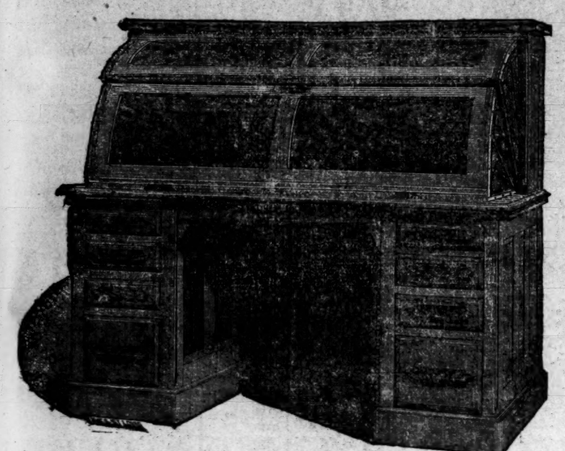

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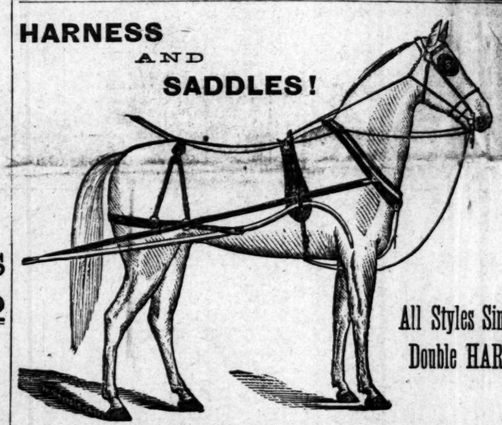

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PUGILISTS AT WORK.

Mulhall and Heithner Engage in a Ten-Round Battle.

The Light-Weight Championship in Possession of a New Owner—A Desperate Struggle—Both Men Severely Punished.

By Telegraph to the Post-Dispatch.

NEW YORK, September 8.—"Billy" Mulhall, the light-weight champion of Queen's County, and Gus Heithner, the reputed champion of Long Island City, met in the fistic ring yesterday morning. Both men are about 20 years of age. Mulhall had the advantage in weight, tipping the beam at 140 pounds, Heithner weighing five pounds less. Long Island City was the place selected for the fight, and one of the vacant pool rooms was appropriated and fitted up for the occason. The affair was kept very quiet and yet about 500 persons were present. The stakes were $250 a side and the championship of Long Island. Promptly at 1 o'clock yesterday morning both men entered the ring and fought under the Marquis of Queensbury rules. This was considered a great advantage to the "Tramp," and his backers increased the odds to 4 to 1, with few takers. Dick Reynolds seconded the "Tramp," and Larry Casey performed the same duties for Heithner. A well-known hotel-keeper of Hunter's Point, with sporting proclivities, was made stakeholder and referee. The preliminaries being arranged satisfactorily, time was called at 1:15 a. m.

IN THE FIRST ROUND,

after much sparring for an opening, the "Tramp" led off with a right-hander at Heithner's nasal organ, but Heithner broke its force and countered heavily on Mulhall's left cheek, raising the flesh. After this little sally they clinched and some severe thumping was dealt in on both sides. Heithner, loosening himself, got a left hander in on the "Tramp's" ribs and brought him to the dust. The first fall was allowed to Heithner. Time of round, 1 minute and 50 seconds. When time was called for

THE SECOND ROUND

both men came up smiling. Mulhall again took the initiative and with more success than in the first round. His right hander reaching the desired spot, he drew first blood. They clinched again and the referee ordered a break, when both men retired to their corners. The round, against the protest of the Heithner people, was given to Mulhall.

THE THIRD ROUND

was a repetition of the tactics of the first round, except that there was much more punishment on both sides. Heithner's eyes were almost closed, and his upper lip was raised to ten times its natural size. This round was also given to Mulhall amid the cheers of his followers. Heithner presented a horrible appearance when he came to the scratch in

THE FOURTH ROUND,

and by sheer pluck and science brought Mulhall again to the floor, where, for a few seconds, he lay apparently lifeless. Heithner was declared the winner of this very short round.

ROUNDS FIVE, SIX AND SEVEN

were fought in quick succession, both men enduring great punishment. Heithner's backers were anxious to throw up the sponge after the seventh round, but he would not listen to it, declaring that he would fight while he had a leg to stand upon.

IN THE EIGHTH ROUND

the men advanced in a very shaky condition, Heithner being led to the scratch. Mulhall again led off, but Heithner warded off the blow and sent in a tremendous left-hander on the "Tramp's" right cheek, which seemed to daze him for a second. There was a good deal of science displayed in this round and it was declared a draw.

IN THE NINTH ROUND

Heithner pounded his antagonist unmercifully. He offered scarcely any resistance, and his backers cried "shame."

IN ROUND TEN,

the last, the men approached each other with a determination to end the struggle. Heithner sent in a hot blow on Mulhall's chin, following it up with another on his right side, causing him to scream with pain. This was only momentarily, however, for the "Tramp" rallied and pummelled Heithner's face and ribs. They finally clinched and both received and gave terrible punishment, the Tramp again crying out "foul," asserting that Heitiner had hit him in the stomach. The claim was not allowed. Mulhall's second threw up the sponge and the referee declared Heithner the winner, in forty-three minutes. Heithner's friends are prepared to back him against any man of his size, weight or size for $500 to $1,000 a side. A challenge will be issued in a few days.

REPUDIATED BILLS.

How the Haytien Government Pays its Bills—The Victims.

By Telegraph to the Post-Dispatch.

NEW YORK, September 8.—The report that Mr. Preston, the Haytien minister, has refused to accept the gun manufactured for his government by J. W. Frazer, of this city, was commented upon yesterday by the merchants interested in Haytien affairs. "The gun was built in the cheapest possible manner, and was intended to form part of the armanent of the shell cruiser Dessaline, which is announced to sail for Port au Prince on September 20," Mr. Frazer said to a POST-DISPATCH reporter. "When the gun was completed," continued Mr. Frazer, "I brought it to this city and notified Mr. Preston that everything was ready for the inspectors. I received an order to send it to Philadelphia, where the tests would be made. That order was complied with and the next information I get is that the gun is rejected."

"Has your part of the contract been carried out to the letter?"

"Most decidedly. The contract was made under very peculiar circumstances. Some time ago Mr. Preston called upon me and desired me to build a gun on a very cheap scale. The fact is, the Haytien Government is busted and its creditors might well look around and see who will trust it for anything. We finally agreed upon

A CAST IRON CANNON,

modeled after the most modern improvements, and every detail was clearly specified in the contract. I am sure any expert will agree that the gun and specifications correspond. Let me tell you of a certain transaction the Remington Arms Company recently had with Hayti. They received an order for $40,000 worth of arms and ammunition, which were to be sent to Port Au Prince C. O. D. The order was filled and put on a vessel which carried the guns to their destination. Everything was found to be right and the inspector took it in charge. When the captain applied to the Treasurer for his money he was met with the reply that they could not pay for them just then, inasmuch as the company had sold some ammunition to the insurgents which was contrary to their agreement. The captain protested, but they would listen to nothing. He sent word to New York and the

REMINGTONS SENT SWORN AFFIDAVITS

showing that they had sold nothing to the revolutionists. This did not satisfy Hayti and the Remingtons have not received a cent. I would not sell them anything unless they paid cash in advance."

Mr. G. DeCordova, who is interested in Haytien exports, said: "By the time the Dessaline reaches Hayti, which would be about September 27, the war will be over, and the insurgents victorious. Official reports never reach here. They are suppressed in order to keep up the fast failing credit of Hayti. The latest advices received by me state that the revolutionists have purchased a royal mail steamer, which is doing sad havock. The Consul well knows that the war is practically settled, but he refuses to admit it. The best thing for Salomon to do is to make his way to St. Thomas as fast as he can. Hayti will soon be too hot for him."

NEW ORLEANS GOES.

So Harry Hill Says—Mitchell and Slade Must Fight.

By Telegraph to the Post-Dispatch.

NEW YORK, September 8.—Harry Hill's place was packed with sporting men last night, in anticipation of the arrival of the Slade party from Kansas City. At about 11 o'clock Herbert H. Slade, John Brighton, his trainer, Jack Davis, and Harry Montague, Jem Mace's agent, walked in. They were greeted enthusiastically. The travelers said they called on Parson Davis, in Chicago, on their way East, expecting to meet Madden and Mitchell. In this they were disappointed, and those who arrived last night continued their journey by the limited express. Mace and Rice remained in Chicago until yesterday, so as to have a conference with Madden in the hope of completing arrangements for the fight.

Slade will make Flushing his headquarters until September 11, the date for the fight.

"You look thin, but healthy," was said to Slade last night.

"Yes. I'm down to about 190 pounds, but I'm feeling first-rate. I will build up again, though, and fight at 210."

"Is training hard work?"

"Hard work! I'd rather be dead than go through it again."

John Brighton said: "Slade has worked hard. He would not do it before, but that bout with Sullivan taught him a lesson."

Mr. Hill, who is the referee and stake-holder, says as there has been so much talk about the fight being a fraud, he is determined to make the men fight before he gives up the money which they have put up with him. He names New Orleans as the fighting ground, and insists that it shall take place there. He says that he shall tell this to Mace and Madden when they meet at his place on Monday.

WHO OWNS THE WORLD?

Mr. Pulitzer Furnishes Information on that Point in Decisive Language.

By Telegraph to the Post-Dispatch.

NEW YORK, September 8.—Mr. Joseph Pulitzer, editor of the World, in answer to a correspondent who asks "Who owns the World?" basing his question an editorial published in the Star, that Jay Gould controls the paper, says: "The names of the three trustees of the Publishing Company representing the World are Joseph Pulitzer, John M. McGuffin and Melville C. Day, all recently from St. Louis, Mo. Joseph Pulitzer is President and John M. McGuffin is Publisher and Secretary of the Company. The stories in the Star are pure fabrications, invented, we suppose, in the interest of Democratic harmony. Neither Jay Gould nor any son of his, nor Gen. Eckert, nor any other human being connected with any monopoly or corporation own directly or indirectly one dollar's worth of interest in the World, or have any more to do with its management than the Emperor of China. The World is free and independent, without a dollar of debt or a particle of obligation to anybody. There is no secret about the ownership of the paper; its editor is its owner."

ELOPED WITH A NEGRESS.

Another Good Man Gone Wrong—Crazed With Liquor.

By Telegraph to the Post-Dispatch.

RICHMOND, September 8.—There has been much excitement throughout North Carolina for the past few days owing to a white man named Rowland, of respectable connection, eloping with a negro woman. Robertson is from Lumberton, Robison county, N. C.; a county made famous by the Lowry outlaws. His brother is a prominent lawyer and is a candidate before the coming convention for Congress in his district. Young Rowland conceived a strange infatuation for the woman and became demonstrative in his affections; so much so that he was advised to leave the community, under threats of tar and feathers. He left this place, taking the girl with him. He was first noticed in Charlotte, where he endeavored to get married, but owing to threats he became alarmed and took the first train to Raleigh, and passed through Greensboro, where his efforts were again futile. It is thought he then proceeded northward, where he hopes to be legally married. His relatives are anxious, and are telegraphing in every direction to have him captured. It is believed he is crazy from the use of liquor.

What We May Look For.

By Telegraph to the Post-Dispatch.

NEW YORK, September 8.—The representatives of the Trunk Line Railroad and their Western connections renewed yesterday their attacks upon each other's characters and reputations for veracity and honor in the matter of maintaining rates and obeying the pool regulations. None of the roads was formally found guilty of misconduct, presumably for the reason that the conviction of one would result in a verdict against all. Consequently no penalties were inflicted further than a kind, fatherly, yet serious talk from Commissioner Fink. The committee then adopted unanimously the regular resolutions to the effect that rates be restored at once; that all penalties be strictly enforced hereafter against offenders; that the pools now in progress of establishment be completed at once; that new pools be formed at interior competitive points where they do not now exist. The next piece of railroad news upon the subject that may be looked forward to with a fair degree of certainty will be rumors of rate cutting.

Effects of a Sad Accident.

By Telegraph to the Post-Dispatch.

BALTIMORE, September 8.—Charles Stimson started to-day to cross a high trestle bridge on the Western Maryland Railroad near this city. When about midway he saw a train approaching. In order to save his life he dropped between the rails and clung to the cross-ties. After the train passed he was unable to draw himself up and fell seventy feet to the rocks below, sustaining injuries from which he cannot recover. As the injured man was about to be taken into the house Mrs. Mary Crudden, his sister-in-law, was told it was her husband and that he was dead. She sank to the floor, and when raised she was corpse.

A CERMAN PRINCE

Sizing Up the Prospects of His Countrymen in America.

He Finds Them Doing Well—Thinks They Should Quit Selling Beer—Bismarck a Great Statesman—The Jews in Germany.

By Telegraph to the Post-Dispatch.

NEW YORK, September 8.—Prince Hohenlohe, in an interview to-day, said his visit here was chiefly to look at this country and Canada, and more especially to investigate the condition and prospects of German settlers in this country. He found them doing very well wherever he went. His own advice, he said, with a smile, to all of them, was not to stay in the great cities selling and drinking lager beer, but to go West on the farming lands. "I noticed those who have just arrived and those who have settled here for many years. There is a marked difference between the two classes."

"Do you find any change in your people after having been here some years?"

"In prosperity, yes."

"Do they not become Republicans?"

"Y-e-s," with a double accent, "Yet they are

FULL OF PATRIOTISM

for the fatherland. At the time of the flood disasters the Germans alone sent over, I think, $1,000,000 or more by way of relief."

"Do you not think Germany the strongest power in Europe to-day?"

"Yes."

"And Prince Bismarck the strongest statesman?"

"Prince Bismarck I consider not only the strongest statesman in Europe, but in the world. We have not had such a statesman for 400 years."

"Yet with so strong a power and so strong a statesman Germans are flocking to this country by thousands."

"That is true."

"How do you account for it?"

"Well, we are overcrowded at home. There is not room and occupation for all in Germany. In the Germany of to-day we have increased from 36,000,000 in 1825 to 45,000,000. Such an increase is enormous. If every woman

INSISTS ON HAVING TEN CHILDREN

we have no place to put them and no work to give them all."

"Are you opposed to German emigration?"

"Yes, I am. We want our people at home. We want a special place for our Germans."

"Did not Prince Bismarck exact prohibitory laws against German emigration?"

"Yes, and I agreed with them; but for the reasons I have given the people come here. Yet our native industries are coming up and prospering."

"How is it that Prince Bismarck, being so able a statesman as you say, cannot command a majority in the Reichstag?"

"Well, the Germans are a curious and a thinking people. Each one thinks for himself, and yet they think for all when there is public danger

THEN ALL ARE ONE,

as in war, as in floods, when our countrymen over here came so nobly to the rescue. So, for a few years after the war, Prince Bismarck had all the majorities he wanted, but once peace was established and there was little fear of foreign assault, internal questions came up, and with internal questions sectional difficulties."

"Do you think those sectional difficulties likely to disrupt the Empire?"

"No, they will all disappear within a generation. You have had your sectional difficulties here, and I think they are in a certain sense still very strong. They have them in all countries more or less."

"And Alsace-Lorraine; is not the feeling very bitter there, and will the people ever become reconciled?"

"Yes, the feeling is of the bitterest. It is natural that those who fought in the war and suffered by the war should feel so. But a generation makes a great change."

"What's the trouble concerning the Jews in Germany?"

"The Jews want too much. When they attain power at all they want to control. The feeling against them and the actions against them are stronger in Russia and Austria than in Germany.

THE JEWS CONTROL

the chief banking business, and you will always find that when they become too strong in any country the common people turn upon them."

"Do not the Jews control the press to a great extent in Germany?"

"Yes, and in all Europe."

"Do you anticipate any immediate trouble between Germany and France?"

Hardly, though I see that Prince Bismarck has had a very sharp warning addressed to France through one of the official journals. Bitter feeling between the two countries? Yes, of course, there is and will be, but I don't think France will attempt anything now, as she has her hands full. She is in Madagascar, Tunis and Tonquin. She has enough without Germany.

TELEGRAPHIC NEWS.

A grand war dance of the Crow Indians took place at Grey Cliff, M. T., on Friday night.

At Saratoga on Friday Rutherford B. Hayes was elected president of the National Prison Association.

The funeral of Ivan Tourgeneff, the Russian novelist, took place from the Russian Church in Paris on Friday.

The police of Coney Island raided the gambling shops there on Friday night, but, as the proprietors had timely warning, no arrests were made.

Second-Lieut. Joe M. Pooter of the Third Cavalry, stationed at St. Thomas, Arizona, is a defaulter to the extent of $2,000. He is supposed to be in Mexico.

At Amite City, La., on Friday, J. B. Saunders was shot and dangerously wounded by Wm. Berry. The parties are connected with the best families of the place.

Rev. Thomas A. Oakley, general delivery clerk in the Post Office at Cleveland, Ohio, was arrested on Friday on the charge of stealing stamps from prepaid parcels.

On Friday afternoon a terrific thunder and lightning storm burst over the city of Houston, Texas, and rain fell in torrents for three hours. Lightning did great damage.

Miss Mary McCrudden, a young married lady of Baltimore, dropped dead on Friday on seeing her brother brought into her house on a stretcher. She was told it was her husband.

A swindler who was arrested at Des Moines, Iowa, on Friday, for playing banks in the West, said his name was F. D. Command, his home St. Louis, and that he was a lawyer.

Miss Martha E. Johnson, 27 years old, was burned to death on Friday near Newcastle, Coshocton county, Ohio, her dress catching fire from a stove near which she was working.

At a dance in Pierce County, Ga., on Wednesday night, Miss Roxy Wilson murdered her aunt, Miss Mabel Smith, because she had won the affections of a man whom the murderess loved.

John Reeves was locked up at Waco, Texas, on Friday charged with embezzling $200 from a gambling house there while employed to manipulate the wheel of fortune, about four months ago.

The Tammany Hall general committee on Friday night adopted resolutions declaring Tammany ready to make every concession consistent with honor to secure the adjustment of local differences in New York City.

T. J. Carter, a planter, residing near Tyler, ville, Texas, and an employe of his named Wyatt were arrested on Friday on charges of murdering Mrs. Carter. A [illegible]

LATEST EDITION.

THE FIRE CHIEF.

Will Chas. Evans be Confirmed by Council?

Interviews with Our Leading Merchants on the Fire Department—What They Say—Insurance Rates.

The nomination of Capt. Chas. Evans, of the Salvage Corps, sent in by the Mayor last night to the Council, is generally accepted as having been made in good faith and with the earnest hope that it be confirmed. This cannot be said to be true of any of the other nominations for this place, with the possible exception of Eugene Gross. Capt. Evans this morning stated that his chances for confirmation were good. As long as the Solid Seven hold together, no one to succeed Sexton can be confirmed. Straub's partisanship for the old chief is well known, and Devoy has already put himself on record as opposed to a change. Sexton is one of the demands of the syndicate. There are, however, rumors of a break up, final and definite, impending among the stubborn seven, and one of the number is responsible for the statement that it will occur before the next meeting. The Mayor is known to feel unusually stubborn regarding this one place, and it is not probable that in view of the past that he will consent to send in Sexton's name. The situation is just this, if the seven remain solid Evans will be slaughtered if they break he will be confirmed, and they will follow a complete reorganization of the department and a rattling of dry bones in the outlying engine-houses. In the meanwhile Sexton's friends are at work upon the Councilmen, and to this is added the family and ward influence of such men as would surely be dropped from the pay-roll in the event of a new deal.

A POST-DISPATCH reporter took a trip around among a few of the business men who are carrying heavy insurance, and among the insurance men themselves, to ascertain what was thought of the nomination. Mr. Wm. A. Hargadine was the first gentleman met and he said: "Remember that in this matter I do not know Sexton nor Evans. I mean by this that personally I don't regard either of them. But the question is this: I am a heavy insurer and I can't get decent rates. I am charged entirely too high. This is as good a house as any in the county, yet they charge me 90 per cent. I can't get the amount of insurance I want at all. The companies flatly refuse to take it. In order to get sufficient I have to place my risks in companies that I would not touch under any circumstances, but that I am compelled to do so. I have to take out innumerable policies, almost, to get a sufficient sum. Now, the insurance men tell me that the cause of this is that fires are more fatal and more destructive here than anywhere else. They say, farther, that the blame of this is to be placed solely on the mismanagement of the Fire Department. Now, when they make this statement, and when they put me to the trouble to which I have alluded, I am compelled to be in favor of a change. I know Mr. Sexton perfectly well and personally I like him. Mr. Evans I know scarcely anything about. But the insurance men are satisfied with Mr. Evans. If they are so satisfied I can get better rates, and can place my insurance in a more satisfactory manner. For these reasons I would like to see Mr. Evans confirmed and tried. There are places in New York where, within a radius of a mile, there is $100,000,000 worth of property collected. Yet the insurance companies take risks willingly, and give better rates than I can get here in a first-class building like this. We must do something with these insurance men. Here I am forced to insure in companies some of which I know not to be good. Do you blame me for wanting a change? When I was away, about a month ago, I met Mr. Lyons, the manager, and later Mr. Martin, the president of the Home Insurance Company, a $3,000,000 company. Each of them told me that they had heavy risks here, but that they were seriously thinking of drawing out altogether. They further told me that where they would take $20,000 in Chicago, they would not take more than $10,000 in this city. Now this is hard, and as a business man and an insurer I want a change in the department, which I have reason to suppose will put an end to these things."

MR. JOSEPH FRANKLIN,

of Wm. Barr & Co., said: "I don't care who is Chief. I want anybody who will enable me to get sufficient insurance at reasonable rates. If you had been up at my place of business this morning, when $25,000 worth of policies fell due, and if you had seen the companies insisting on cutting it down to $12,500, you would think I had a right to favor a change. We cannot afford to carry from $700,000 to $800,000 worth of goods without anything like adequate insurance, and we cannot get it, so it seems, under the present management of the St. Louis Fire Department. Hence I do favor a change.

MR. E. C. SIMMONS

was out when the reporter called, but he, on a previous occasion, stated that he wanted a change for the same reasons given above by Mr. Hargadine.

MR. A. A. MELLIER

said: "Our rates are horibly high here. The insurance men here blame Sexton, but I do not think they are right in this. The rates, however, are extravagantly exorbitant. At the meeting of the National Drug Association at Cleveland, this question of insurance came up, and rates were reported in the drug business in all the principal cities. Here they are, and I will show you how much they have been in comparison. The rate in Cincinnati is from 1½ to 1¾; Chicago, outside insurance, 1¾; Board rate, 2 cents; Louisville, 1.85; Milwaukee, 1.65; Detroit, 1½ to 2 cents; Pittsburg, 1½ to 1¾; Columbus, 1½; Indianapolis, 1¾; Cleveland, 1½; Keokuk, 1.40; Omaha, 1.80 to 2 per cent; Providence, 1¾; Philadelphia, not over 1¼ per cent; To edo, 1½ to 1¾; New York, not more than 1½ per cent; Wheeling, 1½ per cent. These reports were made at the meeting held in November last year. Now, I reported from St. Louis, that the majority of wholesale druggists, were carrying stock promiscuously at about 2½ per cent. Take my own case here. I have all hazardous goods in the warehouse across the alley. On this building, where the merchandise is all safe, I began paying 1.35. The Underwriters shoved it up to 1.50, then to 1.65, and now I'm paying 2.15. I pay 3 per cent on my laboratory across the alley. Myer Brothers and Richardson, who keep all stock together, pay 2.50 per cent all around.

Mr. J. A. Sperry of the Laclede said they were paying ruinous rates, and that he would like to see Evans in because he was a good man and because he suited the insurance men.

Henry Ames, of the Lindell; John C. Vogel, the insurance man, and numerous others, expressed similar views. The latter was especially in favor of Evans, and thought he was just the man for the place.

Where are the Girls?

Col. Churchill, the father of the missing Mary Churchill, is still hoping for the best, and working diligently on every clew and theory presented to him. Almost every mail brings him letters from friends in other cities offering suggestions or extending sympathy. Many letters have also been received from well wishers in this city, some of which contain [illegible] some strange young lady who answers her description. Only vague theories are advanced now, and as the days go by without bringing any definite news of the whereabouts of the young lady her parents feel that ere long they must hear something from her.

Bertha Smith has not returned to her home yet. Her father said this morning that as was still hopeful of her return and reiterated the statement that she is, as she said in her letter, in some home well provided for. He believes she will come home before long, tired of her escapade.

The Harness Makers' Strike.

There was not as many present at the meeting at Turners' Hall this morning. The General Committee reported that all the shops had accepted the terms of the strikers, with the exception of Meyer & Bannerman, though the report of the Business Committee showed that the firm had refused to stand by its previous decision. A motion was carried that the committee on Meyer & Bannerman go to the individual members of the firm, present their claims, and return to report at noon. A motion was also carried that a committee call on the firm of Rothan & Co., for their signature to the previous verbal agreement. The statement of Mr. Meyer, made by an evening paper on Friday, that "not a single firm had acceded to the demand for a general increase of ten per cent," was contradicted by the strikers. A member of the committe, showed a POST-DISPATCH reporter the following brief written agreement this morning:

"To the Chairman of the Harness-Makers' Meeting:

"I am pleased to state that the matter of wages between the employes and ourselves has been adjusted to the satisfaction of both parties.

"HAYDEN & ALLEN,
"P. G. PETERS,
"DEGNAN & MCGUINNESS,
"HOMAN & HUTZE,
"J. H. MARSHALL."

SECURE boarders by advertising in the want columns of the POST-DISPATCH, twenty words for ten cents.

The First Frost.

Shortly after sunset last night, a cold wind set in from the Northwest, and by 10 o'clock the temperature was suggestive of November. There was a grand search for blankets, and mosquitos were paralyzed. A heavy frost fell which was visible for several hours after the sun rose in a leaden sky. Overcoats were noticed on the streets, and it seemed as if the bell had rung calling in the straw hass. A frost in september is not the subject of extended newspaper mention. The peach crop is past ruining, and in fact, very little harm is caused by the fall in a latitude where the leaves have begun to turn. The sun came out this afternoon, and the temperature has ascended, and there is no prospect of a continuation of such unreasonable weather. It was predicted during the very late spring, that a short summer would follow. This looks like it.

Bishop Ryan's Departure.

Last night about thirty priests assembled at Bishop Ryan's residence, No. 2113 Pine street, to wish him bon voyage and safe return and to present him with a purse of $6,000 as a very substantial token of the esteem in which his reverence is held by the congregations of this diocese. Bishop Ryan goes to Rome as the delegate of Archbishop Kendrick to the convention of bishops and cardinals. After presenting an address last evening the committee handed him the purse. On behalf of St. John's Parish, Rev. Father Jones presented a short address and a purse of $3,000. After the Bishop's reply the clergymen were invited to the dining-room, where a supper was already spread.

The Humane Society.

The weekly report of the special agent of cases investigated during the week ending September 7, has the following showing: Beating 1, overloading 2, over-driving 1, driving when galled or lame 6, general cruelty 6, cases reported at office 7, remedied without prosecution 5, not substantiated 1, not found 1, warned 13, convicted 1, animals taken from work 2. During the week there was one horse removed from the street gutter in the society's ambulance. Hugh Fraher paid $15 65 for shooting a cow and wounding it in the shoulder.

Without Provocation.

Henry Burrichter, the proprietor of a saloon at the corner of Twenty-third and Olive streets, was arrested to-day and locked up at the Four Courts. While talking to some workmen about an excavation he suddenly became very angry, and running into his saloon seized a large caliber revolver. In a few moments he reappeared and, without a word of warning, fired five shots at the men. The timely appearance of an officer prevented him from injuring any body. He was taken to the Four Courts, and as his actions indicated he was insane, he was locked up.

STRANGERS or others desiring board can secure it quickly by an ad. in the POST-DISPATCH want columns. Ten cents.

The Base Ball Horoscope.

The following calculations, based upon the most reasonable estimates, show what will be the most probable outcome of the baseball race for the championship, if everything goes as it should: The Athletics may win three games from the Columbus, one from Cincinnati, one from St. Louis, two from the Eclipse, total seven games, which added to fifty-nine already won, makes sixty-six games. St. Louis may win four from Baltimore, two from the Mets, two from the Athletics, two from the Allegheny, total ten games, which added to fifty-six now won, makes sixty-six.

The Bridal Bulletin.

The following marriage licenses were issued to-day: Joseph Schissler to Miss Ankal Simon, Michael Hasslon to Mrs. Mary Larner, Henry Hacht to Miss Mary Sornmen, Frederick Von Dach to Mrs. Susannah Kuhn, Anton Wageman to Miss Elizabeth Maith, Peter Rasmuiessen to Miss Mary Morrison, Michael Horn to Miss Caroline Thomas, Frank Charles Meier to Miss Bertha Albrecnt, Fred Lenz to Miss Emma C. A. Raitke, Henry Bruseke to Miss Louisa Brinekhoff and Moses Wishniewsky to Miss Sophia Giasberg.

Born and Died.

During the week ending at noon to-day there were 160 deaths in the city, an increase of eight on the corresponding week of last year, and a decrease of three on last week. Classified the diseases were: Zymotic 42, constitutional 32, local 52, developmental 5, violence 9. Births during the week were 178.

Oriole Celebration and Druggists' Convention at Baltimore. By the Vandalia Line.

Round trip tickets only $26. Good going on train of September 10. For particulars call on F. M. Collum, Ticket Agent, No. 100 North Fourth street.

NORTH ST. LOUIS.

James B. Weed is locked up at the Fourth District charged with deserting his wife.

Six hundred thousand feet of assorted pine lumber was sent out from the yards this morning.

A scaffold with five men working on it fell from the second story of the new building in course of erection on Lindell and Fairfax avenues. Fortunately no one was hurt.

FINE FIREWORKS.

Arranging for a Grand Display During Fair Week.

Two Pyrotechnic Exhibitions on Monday and Wednesday—Project for the two Evenings' Attractions.

Mr. E. C. Simmons is engaged in working up a grand fireworks display for Fair Week. It is proposed to give the exhibitions on the evenings of Monday, October 1, and Wednesday, October 3, as on these evenings there will be no special features. The place selected will probably be the vacant lot in the neighborhood of Nineteenth and Pine streets. The programme given below can be secured for the two nights for $4,000. Mr. Simmons is endeavoring to get forty gentlemen who will each give $100 to defray the above expense. This morning it was stated that twenty-five names had already been secured. It is thought that the remaining fifteen subscribers will soon be obtained. This display will add greatly to the attractions of Fair Week, as it is the grandest thing of the kind ever projected in St. Louis. The set pieces will be as follows:

Opening Piece—Salute of 21 aerial guns with very loud reports; illumination of the grounds by 50 prismatic lights of four distinct changes; ascent of three mammoth balloons, carrying powerful tri-colored magnesium lights, and discharging at a great altitude superb silver showers and other pleasing fireworks; display of 100 large colored rockets.

First device—Aladin's Jeweled Tree, with blossoms of every hue. Flight of illuminated tourbillions. Jack in the box. Aerial contortionists—eccentric novelty.

Second Device—The Great Firework Jumbo will cross and recross the ground with life-action; Grand Display of Twenty-five Shells, 5½ inches in diameter; Flight of Ten Asteroid Rockets, each detaching four parachutes; Swarms of Writhing Snakes; Great Golden Cloud, studded with jewels produced by the simultaneous discharge of twenty large shells.

Third Device—Mammoth Silver Firewheel in six mutations; Grand Display of twenty Shells, eight inches in diameter, with J. Pain's newly Invented Tint; Flight of ten Asteroid Rockets, each detaching seven parachutes.

Fourth Device—Falls of Niagara, 50 feet long, falling from a great height; The Roar of the Mighty Cataract, splendidly depicted; Great Silver Cloud, produced by the simultaneous discharge of a number of our large shells; Pain's Wonders; Ascent of Twenty-five Two-Pound Congreve Rockets; Weeping Willow Tree.

Fifth Device—Blazing guns changing to an Immense Fairy Fountain; Pain's Prize Asteroids, finishing with the celebrated Silver Star; Salvo of 10 Shells, Peacock's Plumes; Fotechnical Harpequinade.

Sixth Device—Fire Portrait of a well-known Celebrity of St. Louis, 25 feet x 30; Grand Display of 10 Shells, 12 inches in diameter, emoracing all the latest novelties. The Aerial Acre of variegated Gems. Large Electric shell, one blaze of dazzling light.

Seventh Device—Danish emblem, in four mutations. Cometic stars. Twelve newly introduced Rayon d'Or Rockets. Flight of ten shells, Prismatic Torreuts. The Prairie Fire.

Eighth Device—The Veiled Prophet, with appropriate motto in choice tints, 35 feet x 20 feet. Grand Display of 6 Shells, 16 inches in diameter, each shell containing 5,000 stars, and weighing 20 pounds. By far the largest ever fired. Magical Illumination of the Neighborhood by 100 pounds of powerful composition.

Ninth Device.—The City Arms of St. Louis, (with motto) prosperity to our city.
Shells, Couleur de Rose.
War Rockets.
Swarm of Lancelssions.

Tenth Device—Conical Boxing Match Sullivan against Slade.
The Spangled Cloud, produced by the simultaneous discharge of twenty large shells.

Eleventh Device—Maltese Cross in Magnesium Fires.

Final Display of Pain's Mammoth Spreaders.

Grand concluding device, Bombardment of Alexandria, with realistic effects, 100 feet x 35 feet.

Final discharge of 1,000 large rockets, producing a splendid aerial bouquet.

Grand feu de joie.

Will Get Their Money.

Judge Lubke this morning announced his decision in the matter of the application of the Evens & Howard Fire Brick Company and the Missouri Fire Brick and Clay Company for an injunction to restrain the St. Louis and San Francisco Railroad Company from taking their property until they had paid them the amount of damages awarded by the commissioners. The court refused the injunction, but intimated that as soon as the regular fall term of the Circuit Court commences he will make an order on the Circuit Clerk to pay the money.

Messrs. Dyer, Lee & Ellis shortly afterwards served on Circuit Clerk Vogel a demand that he pay over the money forthwith. They insist that the parties are entitled to it without waiting for an order from the bench. The clerk will consult his own attorney. Judge W. F. Boyle, before deciding whether to comply with the demand or not. The amount, $18,413 37, awarded by the commissioners to the St. Louis Smelting and Refining Company in the same matter, will be paid over to-day.

The Battle of the Midgets.

There was a little 2x2 riot at Gregory & Day's Fourth Street Museum yesterday afternoon. It seems that Maria Nail and Gen. Mite, a pair of midgets, were married in Louisville two weeks ago and came here as happy as could be, with a barrel of wedding presents and hearts full of joy. They got along nicely until yesterday, when Maria thought she detected the General casting sheep's eyes at a red-headed girl. She immediately yanked him into the dressing-room, told him he was no good and said she would get a divorce if it took a court house as high as the shot tower and as wide as the Exposition Building to get it for her. Maria got violent at last and they might have covered what was left with a postage stamp had not Capt. De Courcy, the tattooed man, interfered and separated them. They are not yet reconciled, as a POST-DISPATCH reporter discovered last night, who found them sitting as far apart as the width of the exhibition platform would allow.

IT will cost you nothing to secure your help through the help columns of the POST-DISPATCH.

The Trades Procession.

The Executive Committee of the Merchants' and Manufacturers' Display Association will meet to-night at the Mercantile Club and report to that body the progress they have been making. Grand Marshal Rainwater and Secretary Campbell had not made out their report up to noon to-day. Maj. Rainwater said that all the subordinate committees had done their work well, and that the general report to-night would be more than satisfactory. He said that there was no question but that the display made by the association will be the finest feature of Fair Week, as not only the floats, but all the accessories of the pageant will be fine. The Military and the Fire Department, with bands and probably one will give eclat to the affair, while the ball, it is predicted, will be a grand night. Maj. Rainwater thinks there will be over a hundred floats, and that many of them will cost over $1,000.

THE STANDARD THEATER.

Newspaper Men and Others Have a Preliminary Peep at the New House.

The Standard Theater was lit up last night for the press, and several newspaper men, together with a number of prominent citizens, looked through the building and inspected its beauties and conveniences. Manager W. H. Smith did the honors and Messrs. Butler and McEntire, who with Mr. Smith are the proprietors of the house, were there to receive the congratulations of friends upon not only the rapidity with which the work of putting up the theater was completed, but also upon its excellence and thoroughness, and the quiet, modest-like beauty of its interior decoration. When the sun-burner at the dome was ablaze, and the other lights were burning the neutral colors that enter into the ornamentation of the auditorium were handsomely presented to view, and the effect upon the eye was pleasant and agreeable. The lower portion of the house is in one section, unbroken lines of cushioned chairs in iron frames with blue and gold finishing stretching back to the doors. The gallery circles are plainly but artistically colored, and there are no gas-jets or brackets to break the view. Six boxes on each side are elegantly upholstered, and decorated in blue and gold, large and glittering chandeliers adding greatly to the beauty of their appearance. The auditorium seats 2,500 people comfortably. The stage has the largest proscenium in St. Louis, and more sky-room than any other theater here. A handsome satin medallion-centered curtain painted by George Hyland, the scenic artist of the house, was let down and much admired. Altogether the visitors declared unanimously in favor of the perfection of the new theater, and the handsome character of its equipments. It will open to-night with "The Power of Money."

NEW SUITS.

The Legal Mill Receives a Large Amount of Fresh Grist.

The Granby Mining and Smelting Company this morning instituted a suit against Eben Richards and O. B. Filley, proprietors of the Missouri Zinc Company. The suit is for the recovery of $37,618 87 alleged to be due on promissory notes and $6,688 10 alleged to be due on account.

ON A PROMISSORY NOTE.

Jacob Schisler has sued B. Thoman and Eugene Reno for $500, alleged to be due on a promissory note.

DAMAGES WANTED.

Mrs. Cora B. Stephenson and John Stephenson, her husband, have sued the Julius Winkelmeyer Brewing Association for $15,000 damages. The plaintiff's petition alleges that on June 22 last a surrey in which Mrs. Stephenson was driving along Channing avenue, between Olive and Locust streets, was run into by a wagon driven by an employe of the company; that the lady was thrown out of her vehicle, her clothing destroyed and her right arm crushed so that she is now a cripple for life.

SUIT FOR DAMAGES.

The Whitaker Iron Company has brought suit in the Circuit Court against Charles Jefferson Clark, John W. Munson and Robt. S. Voorhis. The action is for the recovery of $1,200 damages alleged to have been inflicted upon the plaintiff by an attachment suit instituted against the plaintiff by the defendants on December 27, 1878.

DIVORCE.

Maria Baehr has brought suit for divorce against Herman Baehr. These parties were married on April 25, 1883, and lived together until July 18, last. The petition alleges that the defendant has treated the plaintiff with great brutality; calling her the vilest names. On several occasions he threw her out of bed and compelled her to pass the night on the floor, and once during her illness he refused to give her any assistance.

SPECIAL TAX SUIT.

Wm. Keane and Michael Cullinane have sued Henry Nagel, trustee of the separate estate of Mary Dien, E. Scherder, executor of Mary Dien, and Joseph Dien, for $47 42 alleged to be due on a special tax bill.

MONEY LOANED.

James Bannerman has brought suit against Augustus Branconier for the recovery of $400 money loaned.

ASKS LEAVE TO RESIGN.

Joseph Weil, trustee of the estate of Henry Louis Weil, has filed in the Circuit Court a petition for leave to resign his trust on account of the increasing infirmities of old age and the demands of his own business. Henry Louis Weil was his brother, who died in 1870, leaving by will the following amounts for his respective children, appointing Joseph Weil the trustee for each child: A. L. Weil, $10,000; J. P. Weil, $5,000; Silas, $5,000; Joseph, $10,000; Rachel, $8,000; Josephine, $10,000; Rosa, 12,000; Emma, $12,000.

A QUARRYMAN DEFENDANT.

Judge Thayer of the Circuit Court was occupied in chambers this morning in hearing the application of Stephen Binz for an injunction to restrain Martin Lorenz from blasting rock in his stone quarry near the plaintiff's house. Benz also sues for $7,000 damages alleged to have been inflicted upon his property by Lorenz's quarrying operations. The Court laid the matter over until next Wednesday.

AN EJECTED PASSENGER.

Frank E. Walker has sued the Wabash, St. Louis and Pacific Railroad Company for $5,000 damages. He alleges that on July 18, last, having bought a ticket, he boarded a Wabash train for the purpose of proceeding to Chicago; that when thirty miles from St. Louis he was forcibly ejected from the train to his damage in the sum mentioned.

DIVORCE SUIT.

Hulda Oelreich has brought suit against her husband, Herman Oelreich. The plaintiff's petition alleges that the defendant has been guilty of marital infidelity, and has treated her brutally.

RAILWAY NOTES.

The Paramore party will return from their Southern trip on Monday.

Col. A. A. Talmage, general transportation manager of the Gould Lines, will return from the East this afternoon.

Capt. C. W. Rogers, vice-president and general manager of the Frisco Line, will return from New York this evening.

Mr. M. P. Kelley, agent of the Lackawanna Fast Freight Line, has removed his office to new quarters at No. 311 Pine street.

The Louisville fight remains in the same position as yesterday, and one side claims the other changes cars at this point and that. It is probable that by next Wednesday this cruel war will be over.

The Wabash has just completed a stock-yards at Keokuk, Iowa, and is now ready to haul stock over the Hannibal and Shenandoah division. The company will claim its proportion in the live stock pool.

SUMMER EXODUS.

M. J. Ernst leaves for New York this evening via the Wabash.

Wm. Bath and Col. W. D. Slack leave for Little Rock this evening.

Celsus Price and J. Woodruff go to Chicago via the Vandalia this evening.

J. L. Dyer and party leave for San Antonio this evening via the Missouri Pacific.

The Haverly Minstrels go to Cincinnati in a special train via the Vandalia this evening.

J. F. Bowman, E. J. English and B. F. McNeil, leave for Philadelphia via the Vandalia this evening.

John M. Harney, Mrs. E. Baxter and party, W. Fleischer, Henry Lucas, Charles H. Gleason, S. Cunningham and J. Tracy and wife, leave for New York via the Vandalia this evening.

ABOUT TOWN.

OFFICER WM. KING has contributed $1 to the fund for the benefit of the O'Gorman family.

J. W. JONES, a cigar-maker, has mysteriously disappeared from his home, 1318 North Ninth street.

THE 5-year-old son of Officer King, of the Third District, is dangerously ill with typhoid-malaria.

HOUSE-BUILDERS say that there will be more dwellings put up this fall than for several seasons past.

JOSEPH H. BEAVEN of Alton, Ill., will preach morning and evening at the Park Avenue Baptist Church.

A SURPRISE party was tendered Miss Frances Schlotman at her home, No. 1908 Salisbury street, on Thursday evening.

REV. H. SEARS, pastor of the M. E. Church in East St. Louis, will occupy his pulpit but two Sundays more before going to conference.

MR. ROBERT GOLDBECK, just returned from Erie, will give a series of classical piano concerts at the College of Music, Olive street.

DR. TUDOR'S subject Sunday morning at Centenary Church will be "The Power of Faith," and in the evening, "The World and Time."

REV. J. H. FOY, D. D., pastor of Central Christian Church, will preach on "Modern Doubts and Doubters," at Pickwick to-morrow morning.

PRESIDENT VON DER AHE and the St. Louis Club, were delayed on the road to-day, and did not arrive this morning. They are expected in late this afternoon.

THE regular night services will be resumed at the St. James Church, Episcopal, West St. Louis, to-morrow. The rector, Rev. G. C. Tucker, will preach both morning and night.

THE evening service at St. Mark's Lutheran Church, corner of Bell street and Cardinal avenue, will be resumed to-morrow. Dr. Rhodes will preach on "Appearances."

THE Pensioners' Benevolent Union of Missouri will hold their regular quarterly meeting at No. 18 North Fourth street at 2 o'clock to-morrow afternoon. Important business will be transacted.

THE first meeting of the St. Louis local circle of the C. L. S. C. for the season of 1883 and 1884, will be held in the parlors of Pilgrim Church, corner of Ewing and Washington avenues, on Monday evening.

THE horse and wagon belonging to James Ahearn, the builder, ran away on Chestnut street just above Seventh, this morning, and the outfit was pretty well wrecked. Officer Doyle caught the flying steed before any further damage was done.

A MEETING of kindergarten teachers was held at the Eads School, Fifteenth and Pine streets, at 10 o'clock this morning. The organization of the winter's work was inaugurated, and addresses were made by Miss Blow, Miss Dozier and others.

MR. J. F. CORCORAN feels aggrieved at the statements of A. J. Chaphe before the Waterworks investigating committee, about trouble they had had regarding the boilers of the Water-works, and says that if the committee will put him on the stand he will tell the full truth regarding the boilers.

MR. A. G. ROBYN, the composer of "Manette," left on Thursday evening for St. Paul for a little recreation after his arduous midsummer labors. His place at the organ of the First Presbyterian Church to-morrow will be filled by Miss Avis H. Blewett, one of Prof. E. M. Bowman's favorite pupils.

AT 11:45 last night an incendiary fire burst out in the two-story building No. 1300 North Twelfth street, owned by P. Lawler, and used by O. Exrwalba for storage and empty boxes, he having removed his grocery to the other side of the street. The loss to the building is to the first story—not serious. Small loss on contents; insured $2,000 in Franklin of St. Louis.

MR. CHAS. SCHMIDT, of St. Louis and Grand avenue, celebrated the second anniversary of his marriage last night. A number of old friends called upon him and all were pleasantly entertained. Among those who were present were: Messrs. Heller, Woesterman, Loebline, Cleveland, Pohlman, Artell, Frey, Marks, Campbell, Heimans, Stemme, Keuney and many others.

MR. MARLANDE CLARKE is arranging rehearsals and engaging a company for the Southern tour of "A Friend." Miss Florence Gerald, the author of the play, is a poetess well known in the South. Miss Gerald assumes a leading role in the play. Mr. Clarke will give a lecture next Saturday at the Laclede Hotel on Hamlet, and on the following Saturday he will lecture on Macbeth, also at the hotel.

MISS MARY FITZGERALD and Mr. John Sullivan were united in marriage at the Annunciation Church, Sixth and Labadie streets, last Tuesday morning. Miss Fitzgerald is the daughter of Mr. Richard Fitzgerald of this city, and is a very estimable young lady. The groom is a promising young gentleman from Big Springs, Texas. The church was filled with a large number of friends of the contracting parties. The presents were numerous and handsome. A reception was held from 10 until 2 o'clock Tuesday at the residence of the bride's parents, 917 Catawba street.

CITY PERSONALS.

Rev. George C. Betts returned last night from Denver, Colorado.

Miss Pearl Mulligan, of North St. Louis, is visiting friends in Chicago.

Miss Sophie Grindon and Dr. Grindon have returned from a visit to Arcadia, Mo.

J. H. Richardson, a well-known attorney of Quincy, Ill., is visiting friends in the city.

Misses Julia Ashbrook and Katie Husbands are visiting friends in the Florissant Valley.

Mrs. L. E. Macklind, of the Macklind Telegraph Institute, has gone to Southeast Missouri for a vacation.

Mr. Sylvester H. Laflin has returned from his summer residence in the East, looking more juvenile than ever.

Mr. and Mrs. Samuel W. Dunaway and Miss Ida Dunaway, of Carbondale, Ill., are spending a few days in the city.

Miss Josie Burt, the popular elocutionist, has returned from her summer vacation in Wisconsin, much improved in health.

At the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Joshua Grigg, at 4 o'clock on Wednesday afternoon, Miss Alice Grigg was married to Mr. John N. Opel.

Miss Louisa Beyer was tendered a pleasant surprise party at her home on Grand avenue, by her friends Saturday evening.

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John A. Stevens, author of "Her Second Love," arrived this morning from San Francisco. He will enact the hero in his own play at the Olympic next week.

Mrs. W. H. Beneke, in company with Mrs. Joseph Schnaider and Miss Jeanie Schnaider, left last evening on the Pittsburg for St. Paul and the lakes.

Master Willie Meara returned home this morning, after an absence of two months at the sea-shore. He has visited all the noted Eastern resorts, and returns much improved in health and appearance.

Mr. Charles H. Peck and his family returned to-day from an extended summer trip to the North and East. Mr. Peck says that he has had a glorious time, and that all the members of his family return in splendid health.

Miss Lidia G. Blossom, daughter of Capt. C. D. Blossom of this city, was married at Trinity Church in New York City on Thursday to Mr. Oliver D. Gray, Rev. Dr. Robt. S. Gross officiating. The bride had just returned, with her parents, from an extended European tour.

ILLINOIS ITEMS.

How a Railroad Collision Was Avoided —Matters in the Interior.

CAIRO, September 8.—Engineer Lovett of the Illinois Central, while ascending a long grade at Villa Ridge, perceived some freight cars without an engine coming down towards him. He reversed his engine, giving the passengers in his train a great shock, and then sped backwards till an opposite grade was reached, thereby saving the lives of all those in his charge. John H. Grant of Hardin County died in convulsions yesterday from using ice-water too freely.

SPRINGFIELD, September 8.—The city instituted a suit against the Ætna Fire Insurance Company for the recovery of two per cent of their premiums upon property insured in this city but located outside, and yesterday the companies won the suit. Hon. Milton Hay is out in a card denying the main points of an interview had with him by "Gath."

DECATUR, September 8.—There is an indignant feeling against Officer John Adams, who shot a man named Cooper through the breast. Adams was jailed yesterday. Three houses were entered last night by burglars. The County Fair closed to-day—a financial failure.

CLINTON, September 8.—A. T. Wade was sent to Joliet for two years yesterday for burglary.

SHAWNEETOWN, September 8.—Porter Holmes was sentenced to the Penitentiary for nine years yesterday for killing Pat Hogan.

VANDALIA, September 8.—A horse and buggy stolen from L. M. Goode's livery stable has been returned. The thief is in jail at Springfield.

MARSHALL, September 8.—John O'Neil, whose grocery was closed by the Sheriff last week, has left town after forging the name of his brother-in-law to a note for $300.

MATTOON, September 8.—Josiah Sutton, a farmer, was swindled out of $1,000 by a confidence man in Cincinnati, Thursday.

SHELBYVILLE, September 8.—The saloon-keepers have compromised their cases by paying $150 and costs each and agreeing to quit the business after their stock is closed out.

CARROLLTON, September 8.—In the slander case of A. D. Rollins against Dr. Pratt, the defendant not appearing, the jury awarded plaintiff damages in the sum of $5,000.

RIVERTON, September 8.—The fire which caused the death of three members of the Everett family, it now appears, was kindled by one of the children.

ATLANTA, September 8.—The Fair, closed yesterday, was a financial success.

ROCKFORD, September 8.—A frost yesterday has discouraged the farmers here, who have little hopes for the corn.

MARSHALL, September 8.—The wheat crop, the threshing has revealed, is less than one-fourth of an average. The corn crop is not up to the average.

GREENVILLE, September 8.—A protracted drought makes plowing for wheat impossible, and has almost ruined the corn crop.

QUINCY, September 8.—A. D. Baily of Liberty died yesterday of paralysis, aged 74.

LITCHFIELD, September 8.—The Staunton Times has suspended publication.

CHARGE TO CHANDLER.

The Expense of Repairing the Tallapoosa—Reports Denied.

By Telegraph to the Post-Dispatch.

BOSTON, September 8.—The officers of the Tallapoosa gallantly came to the relief of Mrs. Chandler, and say that the gossip regarding the imperious manner of that lady on shipboard, and her insisting upon the strictest naval courtesy, is altogether unwarranted, and Mrs. Chandler herself denies the stories entirely. As regards one of the yarns that on one occasion she refused to go on board on the port side of the vessel, the side used by the sailors, she says it has taught her something she didn't know before—the port from the starboard side.

MRS. CHANDLER LEFT THE VESSEL

to-day and has gone to Warner, N. H., to join her husband. The Tallapoosa is now in the dry dock in the Charlestown navy yard. She is not as seriously injured as has been reported. Lieut.-Commander Merry says he had charge of the ship the night she grounded. She ran on a rock, but was easily lifted, and proceeded on her way. He says it was his fault, and an error of judgment. He knew the location of the rock well enough, but the night was dark and he thought he had escaped it. He said there was no a hole in the ship's bottom. The copper had been ripped off, but she did not leak more than any ship naturally does. Those who have the repairs in charge here state that she has started her bolts and timbers somewhat. All that will be done here will be

TO MAKE HER SEAWORTHY.

She will be extensively repaired ultimately. Lieut. Merry says that the damage sustained was occasioned by the grounding at Pensacola three months ago. An application was made, after the mishap, to have her go into dry dock, but an opportunity has not afforded itself until now. The Secretary's flag was lowered last night. He will not return to the ship. It is thought she will get out of dry dock and sail on Monday for Portsmouth.

THROUGH TEXAS.

A Ride Across the Lone Star State on a Mustang.

"On a Mexican Mustang" is the title of a large volume by Messrs. Alex. E. Sweet and Z. Armoy Knox, editors of Texas Siftings, and published by T. N. James & Co., of 508 and 510 Pine street, this city, and No. 50 Main street, Houston, Tex. There are 700 pages in the book and over 300 illustrations, which with the sketching, writing aid in telling stories of travel in Texas that range from the comic to the thrilling and abound in charming bits of character painting that are simply delicious to come across. The mustang ride through the Lone Star State, was, it is represented, made by a young New Englander who of course finds much that is strange and startling in the new country. The whole story is admirably told and the reader will never tire of the work. The mechanical features of the publication reflect credit on the establishment of Messrs T. N. James & Co.

The New Navy Uniform.

By Telegraph to the Post-Dispatch.

WASHINGTON, September 8.—The subject of the proposed change of uniform in the navy has been very little talked of for the past month, but officers generally throughout the service are awaiting anxiously the Secretary's action in the matter. It is stated by the officers on duty at the Navy Department that the opposition which was at first aroused by the contemplated change, has to a great extent disappeared, and that when Secretary Chandler is able to look at the matter in an impartial manner, he will without doubt, approve the order which was temporarily suspended. It is said that the many officers who signed the petitions against the enforcement of the order, have withdrawn their opposition and now strongly advocate the change, seeing that there is nothing radical connected with it and it only authorizes what uniforms shall be worn on certain occasions and involving but little expense.

Indications.

WASHINGTON, D. C., September 8.—For South Atlantic States, partly cloudy weather, local rains, northeast winds, becoming variable, colder and falling followed by rising barometer. In northern portions of Gulf States, local States, colder and partly cloudy weather, winds generally from north to east, stationary or higher barometer. Tennessee and Ohio Valleys, rain, followed by colder and partly cloudy weather, winds mostly from northeast to northwest, higher barometer. Lower Lake Region, rain, followed by colder, clearing weather, northeast to northwest winds, higher barometer. Upper Lake Region, clearing and fair weather, colder and northerly to easterly winds, rising barometer, followed in northwest portions by falling barometer. Upper Mississippi and Missouri Valleys, fair weather, northeast to southeast winds, stationary or a slight rise in temperature, falling barometer in northern portions. Cautionary signals continue at Port Huron, Detroit, Toledo, Sandusky, Cleveland, Erie and Buffalo. Cautionary off-shore signals are ordered for Indianola and Galveston. The rivers will change slightly.

THE "JUMBO" RAIDED.

Also a Number of Other Coney Island Gambling Houses.

By Telegraph to the Post-Dispatch.

CONEY ISLAND, N. Y., September 8.—Just before midnight Chief of Police McKane, with six officers, started to raid the gambling houses on the boulevard and concourse, and succeeded in capturing the full outfit of the famous Jumbo Palace, consisting of three faro lay-outs, and complete sets of red and black and roulette paraphernalia, valued at about $1,000. When Chief McKane returned from the country yesterday, where he had been stopping for a few days, he had a conference with Judge Striker as to the best means of suppressing the gamblers, who were becoming more numerous daily. The Judge thereupon issued warrants for the arrest of all such persons who might be found engaged in dealing or playing at any game of chance. The officers were divided into two squads. The one headed by the Chief proceeded along the plank walk to Baur's Hotel. On bursting in the door nothing was found save a few tables and chairs and a check, such as is used by gamblers, lying on the floor. The next place visited was the Iroquois, directly opposite. Here, too, the birds had flown, taking with them their tools. On reaching the Jumbo Palace, where the heaviest game was in progress, both squads met, the one headed by the Chief surrounding the front, while the others guarded the rear of the house. The proprietors had evidently been warned beforehand, for all the tools stood upon the floor, packed ready for remov

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Y POSTAL NOTES

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he Post Office it appears that
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ence of the Post-Dispatch.
, September 7.—Miss Lil-
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man, went to Jacksonville,
they will attend school.
er is home from a visit with
vicinity of Springfield.——
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S. W. Roessler, U. S. A., is
to his parents. He spent
n Europe.——Fred. Offen-
n Texarkana, Ark., Sunday
father's funeral.——William
a Sundayed here.—Miss
, of Windsor, is the guest of
oyles.——J. A. James is in
on business.——W. O.
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CONN., September 8.—Mrs.
, the author of "Widow Gold-
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rs. Smith lived until 8:30. She
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Mrs. Smith was the wife of
ith, son of Norman Smith of
a well-known throughout
South.

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teen cents per day. Some of
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ind one of the strikers clubbed
employed on section 34, in-
ous flesh wound.

ONDELET SOTTINGS.

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R. R. Southard has returned
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terests.
ed bushels of wheat are re-
and converted into flour at the
ouring Mill.
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re she has been visiting rela-
ral months.
McCabe, a widow with four
ick and very destitute at 7905
Her husband was killed about

found this morning wandering
ulcan, who gave his age as 11
with Talbott; residence, 1317
dieth street. He was forwarded
Courts.

p, an employee at the Vulcan, had
w escape at 4 o'clock yesterday
le fell into the pit of a fly-wheel
revolving rapidly at the time, and
out by the wheel, having one
and other injuries which are not
erious.

Sondag, the constable, had, as
his courage roused high enough
long-talked-of levy upon proper
street railroad, he wilted and
would not do. The judgments
the company, but on account of
plications he is afraid to go
make the levy, although counsel
ies in favor of whom they were
e urging him to do so.

A BRIEF WAR.

And One More of Words Than of Action.

Conditions of the Settlement Agreed to by the Representatives of France and China —Absence of a British Fleet in Chinese Waters—Other Foreign News.

PARIS, September 8.—The Figaro publishes the following as the principal points of the agreement arrived at by Marquis Tseng, Chinese Ambassador, and Challamel Le Cour, French Minister of Foreign Affairs, for the settlement of the Tonquin question:

"The French protectorate to be hereafter confined to the delta of the Red River; China to open the navigation of the Red River down to Lao Kay, which shall be the only point open to trade with Yun Nan; the frontier at all other points to be closed by the establishment of a neutral zone, which shall be garrisoned by Anamites. If China undertakes to prevent further incursions of black flags, the sovereignty of China over Anam is to be recognized by a mere act of homage, after which China will recognize the treaty of Hue, and the French force of occupation is to be limited to 4,000 men."

China.

LONDON, September 8.—The Daily News states that it has reason for believing that Marquis Tseng clings as strongly as ever to to the hope of an European arbitration between China and France in view of the enormous preponderance of the trade of England, Germany and even of America over that of France in the East. It is thought the Cabinets of the neutral powers would be fully justified in offering their friendly services to France and China.

THEY ARE INDIGNANT.

LONDON, September 8.—The Standard's Hong Kong special says: "The absence of at British fleet at the present time from Chinese waters excites the deepest indignation among the English residents there, as well as at all other Chinese ports, as relations between the Europeans and the natives throughout China have altogether changed since the opening of the French policy of aggression in Tonquin. The recent reports of reverses to the French armies have materially damaged the prestige of all foreigners in China."

Mexico.

DENVER, Col., September 8.—A special to the El Paso Times, just arrived, says: "Mexican troops are marching from Ascension to reinforce Major Valentine Ornati at Casa Grande. Capt. Porcheco has also left Janos for Casa Grande with a detachment of thirty men. Messengers have been sent to Berzerac to hurry up reinforcements. The distance is eighty-five miles from Janos. Great consternation prevails at Corralitos, a small American-Mexican town, situated midway between Janos and Casa Grande.

Bavaria.

MUNICH, September 8.—King Alfonso arrived here last evening and was cordially received. He will continue his journey to Vienna to-day.

South Africa.

DURBAN, September 8.—Seventy armed Boers have crossed the border at Isandula, presumably for the rescue of King Cetewayo.

DEAD TO THE WORLD.

Seventeen Young Ladies Take the White Veil.

The House of the Good Shepherd, situated at Seventeenth and Pine streets, received seventeen young ladies this morning into the order. The exercises took place at 8:30 a. m., and were conducted by Bishop Ryan, assisted by Rev. Fathers Meyer and Schultz of St. Louis University. The galleries of the chapel of the Convent were thronged with spectators, when the organ peal and sweet-voiced choir broke the stillness. Then the procession entered, first the cross-bearer between two chorists, with lighted candles, then a number of little children in white, with blue sashes and white wreaths, bearing bouquets and baskets of flowers. These were followed by the twelve postulants in trailing bridal robes of white, with veils and orange blossom wreathes. After them came the five novices who were to make their vows. The postulants being blessed by the bishop each pair of candidates, kneeling in turn, received them as they were lighted by the superioress who stood at the altar, with this injunction from the bishop: "Receive my daughter. this exterior light to which Jesus Christ calls you, and withdrawing you from the darkness of the world in which you were enveloped. Put your confidence in Him. He will be your light and your strength." Then all knelt during the "Veni Creator." The candidates were then seated during the address by Father Meyer. He spoke of them as "souls snatched from the net of the fowler," and dwelt on their deliverance from all temptations of passion and pride.

Then the postulants knelt and were received according to the ceremonial of the church, and passed out to be invested with the habit. Returning in the robes of the order, each in turn knelt to receive the scapular which she kissed, and it was put upon her neck The same ceremony with appropriate address accompanied the giving of the white veil, the rosary and the mantle. Then each received her new name and was sprinkled with holy water. Next followed the profession, which was more solemn. Each novice having pronounced her vows, signed them and received an image of the Virgin on a silver heart which she is to wear above her own. She then received the veil with the address, "Put this veil over your eyes my dear sister, that you may no longer see a world which you have renounced forever." The five sisters who took the vows then prostrated themselves and were crowned with a pall, which was held by the little girls while a requiem was sung. Each then received a crucifix and white wreaths were placed on their heads to be worn again only at their burial, after which the whole procession of the newly-admitted passed to the foot of the chapel to give and receive from the superioress "the kiss of peace." Then they saluted each other and the solemn procession passed out to the strains of a Gregorian anthem.

The following were the young ladies who received the holy habit: Miss Annie O'Brien, of County Carlow, Ireland, in religion Sister Mary of St. Dolphine; Miss Mary Rodgers, of Chicago, Ill., in religion Sister Mary of St. Paneratius; Miss Mary Hackett, of Memphis, Tenn., in religion Sister Mary of St. Irene; Miss Sarah Kaiser, of Memphis, Tenn., in religion Sister Mary of St. Celeste; Miss Maggie Foy of Chicago, Ill., in religion Sister Mary of St. Rita; Miss Annie Hughes of Detroit, Mich., in religion Sister Mary of St. Julia; Miss Maggie Lynch of Detroit, Mich., in religion Sister Mary of St. Patricius; Miss Ida Dalton of Washington, D. C., in religion Sister Mary of the Seven Dolores; Miss Mary Holland of LaCrosse, Wis., in religion Sister Mary of St. Theodosia; Miss Johannah Bradley, of Detroit, Mich., in religion Sister Mary of St. Sophia; Miss Maggie Toomey of County Limerick, Ireland, in religion Sister Mary of St. Catherine; Miss Kate Moore, of Vincennes, Ind., in religion Sister Mary of St. Agatha.

The following sister novices made their vows: Sister Mary of St. Emiliana, former name Feheery, of Canada; Sister Mary of the Heart of Mary, former name Doran, of St. Louis, Mo.; Sister Mary of the Holy Name of Mary, former name Carroll, of Natchez, Miss.; Sister Mary of St. Beatrice, former name Scullin, of New York, N. Y.; Sister Mary of St. Irmina, former name Barr, of St. Louis, Mo.

NEW cigarettes—Little Beauties, *round*, Turkish and Virginia tobacco. Packages of 20, 10c.

THE O'GORMAN FUND.

A Generous Contribution from the Third District Police.

The following received this morning explains itself;

I forward you inclosed $81 50 subscribed by the officeers of the Third Police District and citizens of same. for the benefit of the widow of the late fireman Eugene O'Gorman. Please add amount to your fund and oblige,

Yours respectfully,
EDWARD J. MCDONALD,
Captain Commanding, Third District.

Edw. J. McDonald...	$ 5 00	H. N. Warren.....	$ 1 00
Sergeant Pierce.....	2 00	D. K. Vanatan.....	1 00
John Deitring.....	2 00	Joe R. Speed.....	50
Sergeant Boyd.....	1 00	Patrick Weldon.....	1 00
Louis F. Fiotson.....	1 00	P. M. Jenks.....	1 00
Officer Rudtuuenschtoss.....	1 00	Michael Ryan.....	1 00
Daniel Downey.....	1 00	K. W. Denny.....	50
Fred Hornicker.....	1 00	Sergeant Joyce.....	1 00
Clement Kenzinger..	1 00	P. King.....	1 00
Wm. H. Smith.....	1 00	John Donohoe.....	1 00
Morgan Boland.....	1 00	P. Fitzgerald.....	1 00
Chas. Moberley.....	1 00	James Flynn.....	1 00
Tom Doweling.....	1 00	P. M. Turley.....	1 00
Officer St. John.....	1 00	Harrison Miller.....	1 00
Officer Daly.....	1 00	Frank Shoemaker.....	1 00
Officer Dawson.....	1 00	Sergeant Fox.....	1 00
Officer Johnson.....	1 00	P. G. Dee.....	1 00
Officer Drake.....	1 00	John McDonald.....	1 00
Officer McNamara..	1 00	James Holwell.....	1 00
Officer E. Ryan.....	50	Thomas Hodnett.....	1 00
Officer O'Sullivan..	1 00	John J. Finley.....	1 00
Officer Sullivan.....	1 00	A Specter.....	1 00
Officer Cavanaugh..	50	Patrick Brennan.....	1 00
James Carny.....	1 00	Thos. Lyer J.B. Kelly	1 00
James Sheridan.....	1 00	Jacob Weynacht.....	1 00
Isaac D. Morgan.....	1 00	Harry Lemke.....	1 00
James Joyce.....	1 00	Michael Gallagher..	1 00
Andrew Taylor.....	1 00	Francis McFarland..	1 00
Albin T. Hill.....	1 00	Max Grabinsky.....	1 00
John Sullivan.....	1 00	Samuel H. Smit.....	1 00
Thos. Walker.....	1 00	Wm. J. Harnet.....	1 00
Henry Kicker.....	1 00	Wm. King.....	1 00
Henry Sponeman.....	1 00	Frank Erskine.....	2 00
W. ... Vaughn.....	1 00	Joseph Goeking.....	1 00
H. F. Kramwiek.....	1 00	Hoagland.....	1 00
T. J. S. Meehan.....	1 00	Sergt. Jno. Sullivan	1 00
James Condon.....	1 00	Patrick Reedy.....	1 00
John Lahan.....	1 00	Officer Badger.....	1 00

Horace Greeley's Home.

CHAPPAQUA, N. Y., September 8.—The farm of Horace Greeley was sold to-day by Israel E. Haight, the trustee, in pursuance of a decree of the Supreme Court, dated June 4, 1883. Horace Greeley, by his will, directed the sale and division of the proceeds among his children. Mrs. Smith, his daughter, and the executor in the will, did not follow out the instructions, and after her death Gabrielle Greely, the surviving daughter, brought an action against Col. Smith and his children to have the estate sold as directed by the will. Only one bid was made. Gabrielle Greeley bought it in for $10,000. The property, with buildings, drainage and cultivation, cost Mr. Greeley over $70,000. It comprises seventy-eight acres. A few neighbors present were prepared to purchase it, but would not bid against Miss Greeley. No New York parties were present.

CIGARETTE-SMOKERS are requested to try Little Beauties *round*, twenty for tencents.

Yellow Jack Increasing.

WASHINGTON, September 8.—The following telegram from Postmaster Humphreys of Pensacola was received at the Post Office Department to-day: "A malignant type of the disease exists in the navy yard, and is growing worse. The Board of Health now decide that mail from that point must be taken out of the sacks to be fumigated. I am willing to assume the responsibility without instructions from the department. (Signed) HUMPHREYS."

The following answer was returned: "The department holds that the regulations of the Boards of Health legally established shall be complied with by all persons in any manner connected with this department, unless such regulations violate the United States postal laws or regulations. It is the desire of the department to aid rather than hinder the Boards of Health in prosecuting their work."

Weather Report.

SIGNAL SERVICE, U. S. A., September 8, 1883.

Time.	Bar.	Ther	D. P.	Dir.	Vel.	Weather
6:07 a. m.	30.175	55.2	50.6	NE	16	Clouny.
10:07 a. m.	30.246	56.0	47.9	NE	16	Cloudy.
2:07 p. m.	30.260	69.5	48.3	NE	16	Cloudy.

Maximum temperature, 72.0.
Minimum temperature, 54.5.
Rainfall measureless.

J. H. WEBER,
Sergt. Signal Corps, U. S. A.

A Dead Actor.

PARIS, September 8.—Jean Marie Michel Geoffrey, the actor, is dead; aged 63.

ANGEL CAKE shipped to all parts of the U. S. Beers, caterer, Twenty-ninth and Olive streets.

WM. A. RUTLEDGE. W. M. HORTON.

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MONEY.

Wall Street.

NEW YORK, September 8.—Stocks opened weak and depressed; prices ifeclined ¼ to 2⅛. Louisville and Nashville leading, decline due to the statementthat Williams-Gould difficulty was not settled as previously reported.

WALL STREET, September 8, 11 A. M.—After 10:15 the market became firmer and was generally ¼ to 1⅛ better, latter in Northwestern. Toward 11 o'clock prices weakened again and lowest quotations of morning were made; now many shares 1 to 1½ per cent higher, quiet and firm.

WALL STREET, September 8, 1:30 P. M.—Total imports, including specie, for week ended to-day were $8,457,586, of which $2,550,686 dry goods, $5,906,864 general merchandise. Total imports since January 1, $320,773,015, against $352,532,672 for corresponding period last year.

BANK STATEMENT.

Loans, increase,$1,709,700; specie, decrease,$1,-422,600; legal tenders, decrease, $535,800; deposits, decrease, $847,500; circulation, decrease, $95,500; reserve, decrease, $1,736,525. Banks now hold $4,487,480 in excess of legal requirements.

Quotations of Money, silver, Stocks, Bonds and Other Securities.

NEW YORK, September 8.—Money in abundant supply at 2@2½; prime mercantile 5½@6%. Bar silver 100⅞. Exchange quiet as follows: Sterdy; $81¼ long, 483 sight. Governments steady. States dull. Railways fraction lower. West Shore firsts active. Stocks since 11 o'clock irregular; at present writing about steady. Weakness in the market is partly due to rumors that Gould and Sage would not enter Louisville and Nashville in the directory. It is stated, however, on good authority, that these gentlemen will become directors at the meeting October next.

New York Closing Quotations.

Corrected by H. E. Weber & Co., No. 208 North Third street.

Stocks.	Opening.	Highest.	Lowest.	Closing.
Canada Southern	55⅝	55¾	55⅛	84
Central New Jersey	81¾	82	81¾	81¾
Central Pacific	66⅞	66⅞	66⅞	67⅛
Chesapeake and Ohio, 1st pref				
2d pref				
Chicago and Alton	133	133	133	135
Chicago, St. P., M. and O	42¾	42¾	41⅝	42
do pref	109	109	109¾	102¾
Chicago, R. I. & P				
Chicago, B. & Q	105¾	105¾	104¾	104¾
Chicago, Mil. & St. Paul	106¾	106¾	104¾	104¾
do pref				
Chicago, St. L. & N. O				
Chicago & Northwest	127	128	125¾	125¾
do pref				
Cleve., Col., Cin. & I				
Col., Chic. & I. C				
Del., Lack. & W	124¾	125¾	122	122¼
Delaware & Hudson	106¾	106¾	106¾	106¾
Denver & Rio Grande	28¾	28¾	26¾	27
Kansas & St. Jos				
do pref				
Houston & Texas				
Ind., B. & Western				
Illinois Central				
Lake Shore	103¾	103¾	101¾	101¾
Lake Erie & Western				
Louisville & Nashville	51¾	51¾	49¾	49¾
Marietta & Cincinnati				
Memphis & Charleston	41	41	40	40
Michigan Central	85¾	85¾	82½	83¾
Missouri Pacific	104¾	104¾	100¾	100
Missouri, Kansas & Texas	26¾	26¾	26¾	26
Mobile & Ohio				
Manhattan Elevated	4¾	4¾	4	4
Metropolitan Elevated				
New York Central	117⅝	117⅝	116	116¼
Erie	32¾	31½	30¾	30¾
Northern Pacific	41¾	41¾	40	40¾
do pref	76	76¾	74	74¾
Nashv., Chatt. & St. Louis				
Norfolk & Western				
do pref				
Nickel Plate	9⅝	9¾	9	9
Illinois Central				
Ohio & Mississippi	30	30	30	30
Ohio Central	4¾	4¾	4	4
Ohio Southern				
Ontario & Western	22½	22⅞	22¾	22½
Pacific Mail	32⅝	33	31¾	32⅝
Philadelphia & Reading	50	50¾	49¾	50¾
Peoria, D. & E	13½	13¾	13½	13½
St. Louis & San Francisco				
do pref				
do first pref				
Terre Haute				
Texas & Pacific	29¾	29¾	28¾	28¾
Union Pacific	94¾	94¾	91¾	91¾
Wabash, St. Louis & Pacific	21¾	22	21¾	21¾
do pref	34¾	34¾	33¾	33¾
Western Union Tel. Co	86¾	87	86	86¾

COMMERCE.

St. Louis and Chicago.

ST. LOUIS.

Wheat higher, closing at $1 02; September; $1 05¼ October; $1 08 November; $1 10⅝ December; $1 02⅜ b. year. Corn higher; 46¾b. September; 46⅞ October; 45¼ November; 42¼ year; 45¼ May. Oats higher: 26 b. September; 26⅜ October; 27 November; 25⅞@26 b. year; 30⅝ May. Provisions stronger. Hogs steady.

CHICAGO.

Wheat about steady, closing at 97½ September; 99⅜ October ; 1 01¼ November; $1 02⅜ December; —— year. Corn higher, 50½ September; 50 October; 49¼ November; 47¾ year; 48¾ May. Oats higher: 26⅝ September; 27¼ October; 26¾ year; 30½ May. Provisions lower. Pork, $11 25 September; $11 35 October; $11 25 November; $11 10 year; $11 57½ January. Lard 8.15 September; 8.10 October; 7.97½ November; 7.92½ year; 8.00 January. Short ribs 6.35 September; 6.35 October; —— year; 5.85 January.

Closing Prices To-day.

Reported daily by the Culver Commission Company, rooms 208 and 210 Chamber of Commerce, St. Louis.

Grain.

CHICAGO.

Wheat—September 97½; October 99⅜; November 1 01¼; December $1 02⅜; year——.

Corn—September 50½; October 50; November 49¾; year 47¾; May 48¾.

Oats—September 26⅝; October 27¼; November 27½; year 26¾; May 30½.

BALTIMORE.

Wheat—October $1 15@$1 15½; November $ 1 17¼@1 18; December $1 20¼@1 20⅝.

Corn—September 60; October 60¼@60⅝; November 59; year 57

TOLEDO.

Wheat—September $1 08½ b.; October $1 10; November $1 12; December $1 14.

Corn—September 58; October 54.

Oats—November 29½.

NEW YORK.

Wheat—September $1 15⅝@$1 16; October $1 17¾; November $1 19¾@1 19⅝; December $1 21⅜.

Corn—September 63¼@63⅜; October 64; November 65⅜; December 61¼@61⅝.

Cotton.

NEW YORK.

Futures closed steady: September 10.13; October 10.22; November 10.32; December 10.43; January 10.54; February 10.68; March 10.81; April 10.92. May 11.04; June 11.15; July 11.24. Sales 69,000 bales.

NEW ORLEANS.

Futures closed at 2-10 b. m. dull. September 9.70; October 9.82; November 9.97; December 10.12; January 10.27; February 10.41; March 10.55; April 10.67; May 10.80; June 10.92. Sales 27,900 bales.

Shipments of Leading Articles.

At St. Louis for the week ending Saturday, September 8, 1883, and total shipments since January 1, 1883, and for the corresponding time 1882, as reported by the Merchants' Exchange:

Articles.	Shipments for week ending Saturday, Sept. 8, 1883.	Total Shipments since January 1, 1883.	Corresponding Time, 1882.
Flour, brls	70,294	1,545,936	2,036,964
Wheat, bu	206,941	3,762,790	1,738,435
Corn, bu	1,493,789	12,934,604	7,491,789
Oats, bu	140,658	2,167,991	3,821,546
Rye, bu	42,342	95,421	169,243
Barley, bu	1,150	56,722	45,267
Hay, tons	591	15,215	22,928
Pork, brls	34,200	321,100	76,878
Hams, lbs	228,300	12,822,184	12,015,978
Meats, lbs	1,985,700	100,760,403	86,564,411
Lard, lbs	902,574	28,501,367	25,286,490

Receipts of Leading Articles

Articles.	Receipts for week ending Saturday, Sept. 8, 1883.	Total Receipts since Jan. 1, 1883.	Corresponding time 1882.
Flour, brls	41,225	1,622,325	1,144,496
Wheat, bu	782,242	9,145,578	12,156,953
Corn, bu	247,105	13,955,886	10,267,598
Oats, bu	196,957	4,313,957	5,803,434
Rye, bu	18,919	177,239	158,747
Barley, bu	30,309	1,055,919	496,030
Hay, tons	1,839	52,346	64,143
Tobacco, hhds	311	10,366	12,127
Highwines, brl	219	1,929	7,943
Lead, pigs	29,307	612,453	746,536
Pork, brls		7,461	47,502
Hams, lbs	49,150	3,858,096	4,161,537
Meats, lbs	1,611,545	78,246,851	67,467,399
Lard, lbs	197,349	6,451,256	10,849,807

Grain Inspections.

INTO ELEVATORS—Wheat—1 car No. 2 spring, 5 cars No. 2 Mediterranean, 5 car No. 3 do, 84 cars No. 3 spring, 1 car No. 2 red, 3 cars rejected, 3 do, 12 cars and 225 sks No. 4 winter, 32 cars and 354 sks rejected do, 1 car no grade do; total, 188 cars and 4,554 sks.

Corn—4 cars No. 2 white mixed, 1 car rejected do, 59 cars No. 2 mixed, 2 cars rejected, 1 car no grade; total, 67 cars.

Oats—20 cars No. 2, 7 cars rejected; total, 27 cars.

Barley—1 car rejected spring.

Rye—4 cars No. 2.

Total 258 cars and 4,554 sks.

OUT OF ELEVATORS—Wheat—5 cars No. 2 Mediterranean, 27 cars No. 2 red, 82 cars No. 3 do, 16 cars No. 4 winter, 13 cars rejected do, 2 cars no grade; total, 115 cars.

Corn—57 cars and 28,000 bu No. 2 mixed, 2 cars rejected; total, 59 cars 28,000 bu.

Oats—26,000 bu No. 2, 1 car and 65,000 bu rejected; total, 1 car and 32,500 bu.

Rye—1 car No. 2, 1 car rejected; total, 2 cars.

Total out 177 cars, and 60,500 bu.

The Markets.

FORENOON SESSION, CLOSING AT 1 P. M.

No afternoon session of the Merchants' Exchange will be held until September 11.

The stock of wheat in this market is 253,798 bushels larger to-day than last Saturday, corn has decreased 187,220 bushels, oats stock is 22,022 bushels smaller, and rye stock has increased 10,29 bushels.——Withdrawals of wheat from elevators for past week were 89,188 bushels for city milling, 9,886 bushels for rail, and 9,620 bushels for river shipment; wheat withdrawals of corn were 30,309 bushels for city use, 124,934 bushels shipped by rail, and 243,113 bushels for river shipment; 45,718 bushels oats withdrawn during past week for city consumption. 36,917 bu for rail and 102,428 bu for river shipment; 3,674 bu rye used by city and 2,000 bu for rail shipment. One penny in Chicago yesterday bought about one million wheat to carry. A private Chicago telegram to P. Gray Smith & Sons says the Chicago Tribune says:

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There was a report that an European buyer was in the market buying No. 2 wheat, but an exporter stated that the best offer to-day from Liverpool was 40s, which was equal to $1 06 f. o. b. at New Orleans or 95c here in elevator.——Carruthers & Allen of New York, wire the Culver Commission Company that 600,000 bu No. 2 red was inspected into Brooklyn elevators this week, and only 25,000 bu inspected out.——Geo. H. Small and Hanson Rasin, two well-known and popular gentlemen, have formed a co-partnership under the style of Small & Rasin, for the purpose of transacting a grain brokerage business. Both understanding the business thoroughly, and, commanding a good trade, they will undoubtedly do well.——General order No. 458,729 has been issued by Gen. Sid. Francis: "Straw hats barred after today, September 8. Penalty, a busted bonnet."

There was a considerable advance in wheat futures early to-day and it was caused chiefly by the sharp advance in corn. The markets of the East were strong, in sympathy with the West, but European advices were by no means encouraging. Public cables from Liverpool reported a better tone to wheat, but private cables were firm, quiet and unchanged on wheat to weak and declining, and export offers were still far below the prices ruling here and elsewhere. Receipts continued large in about all the markets of this country. In Chicago there was urgent buying by shorts that advanced the market some, and here an effort was made by a few bulls and the scalping element to force an advance. Some shorts were also buying, and, in consequence, prices went up over 1c. But this show of strength was short-lived. Chicago soon commenced breaking, as her shorts became evened up and the local market at once declined. The early boom was very soda-water-ish in its nature, indeed. Weakness then ruled until after 12 o'clock. Then Chicago stiffened up on colder weather and the home market resgond. ed once more, like a kentucky's tail, but only after a slight and spasmodic upward move it once more weakened. The close was ⅛c better for September and October, and ½c higher for November and December than yesterday's close. Corn futures boomed up excitedly this morning, the cold weather with fears of frost to-night causing a sharp demand and sellers to act with caution. Chicago ran up over 2c, the Eastern markets were strong and higher and cables were better with small spot offerings reported on the other side. Subsequently the tone became easier, when wheat declined and prices ist down some, though the inquiry continued good, but, with the weather reported growing colder later in the day, prices stiffened up once more. Late they receded ½ again, though closing at advances of 1c for September, 1⅝c for October, 2⅜c for November, 1¼c for year and 1⅜c for May over yesterday's close. Oats improved in price, partly through sympathy with corn and wheat, but there was a steady inquiry that helped the market, too: yet there was noticeable quite a disposition shown to sell, especially for the near by futures. The most strength was shown by May, which advanced 1c, though fell back ½c later, while the options closed ½@¾c above yesterday. Cash No. 2 red wheat was weaker on the call and the demand was hardly as good as it has been, coming mainly from speculators; No. 3 red and No. 4 sold higher for shipment. Cash corn was strong and higher, the moderate offerings meeting with ready sale. No. 2 mixed sold to exporters, only the limited supply on sale restricting their purchases. Cash oats were firm and No. 2 better. Order buyers took all offered

	Closing Friday.	Range To-day.	Closing. To-day.
WHEAT.			
No. 2 red.			
September	$1 02¾	$1 02¾@1 03⅛	$1 03⅛
October	———	———@1 03⅛	1 03⅛
November	1 07⅛	1 07⅛@1 08⅜	1 08
December	1 09⅞	1 09⅞@1 11	1 09⅞
Year	1 02⅜	1 02⅜@1 03⅛	1 02⅜

No. 2 red cash $1 02¾@1 02¾, regular, $1 02¾@1 02¾, E. side; No. 3 red 96@96¾ this and 97½@97⅞ E. side; No. 4 90¼@90⅝, this and 92¼ E. side; rejected 83⅜, this side. Bid for No. 2 Mediterranean $1 05¼ this side; No. 3 do 98 in St. L., 98½ bid E. side; no grade 72 regular.

CORN.	Closing Friday.	Range To-day.	Closing To-day.
No. 2 mixed			
September	46⅞	46⅞@47	46⅞
October	46¾	46¾@47	46¾
November	43⅝	45 @45⅞	45⅛
Year	———	42 @42⅝	42⅝
May	43⅛	45 @45½	45½

No. 2 mixed cash 46⅜@46¼ regular, 47 E. side; No. 2 white-mixed 46¾ bid for regular; 47 for C.; rejected do nominal. Bid for No. 2 mixed in C, 45¼ in A. and U.; no grade 40 for C.

OATS.	Closing Friday.	Range To-day.	Closing To-day.
No. 2			
September	25⅞	26@26⅛	26 b
October	———	———@25⅞	26¾
November	27	27	27
Year	25⅜	25⅝@26	25⅝@26
May	30	30¼@30⅝	30⅝

No. 2 cash 25⅝ in A., 26¼ in U., 27⅛@27 in E., 27⅛@27 in St. L.; rejected 25½ in C., 26¼ in St. L.; no grade 22¾ in St. L.

Rye firm and higher, but supply small and restricting sales. Grade No. 2 sold in C. at 49 and that bid for regular; rejected salable at 46 regular and 48 E side.

Flour—The market to-day was about the same as on yesterday. A fairly steady turn prevailing with prices firm, but quotably unchanged. The demand was entirely of a Southern and local character and was not marked by anything like activity. There was no East

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THE O'GORMAN FUND.

The fund contributed through the POST-DISPATCH for the benefit of the family of the late EUGENE O'GORMAN, member of Fire Company No. 7, now amounts to $1,042 90. Other moneys promised will raise the sum to something like $1,200. We have appointed, as a committee to take charge of this fund and use it to the best advantage of the widow and children, Mr. JOS. H. MCENTIRE, Assistant Chief MATTHEW J. BRENNAN and Assistant Chief M. J. HESTER. These gentlemen have kindly promised to take charge of the matter, and the public when so kindly contributed to this worthy cause may rest assured that the money will be judiciously disbursed.

In this connection it may be added that the POST-DISPATCH will be pleased to receive further contributions to the fund.

THE Water-Works investigation promises to strike oleaginous substance.

JUSTICE COLERIDGE, of England, has been breakfasting with BEN BUTLER. This will give the virtuous HOAR a poor opinion of the British Judiciary.

IT would appear that the Kansas City *Times* has recently been converted into an organ of the State Administration. The man who owns the *Times* is sojourning temporarily in Europe.

THE Toledo Produce Exchange has resolved in favor of a Postal Telegraph. If a Podunk Sewing Circle should back the concern up with a strong resolution, the movement would doubtless begin to move.

OUR Minnesota neighbors are moving for the extradition of Col. FRANK JAMES, as it were. It is due Mr. JAMES to say that his engagements with the State of Missouri will prevent a visit to Minnesota for some years.

AS FLAD would put it, there was another lesson on the science of engineering at the city's expense yesterday. Likewise the science of making coal contracts at the Water-works. Let the investigation proceed.

COUNCILMAN STONE wants to see a list of the gentlemen who have real estate to sell to the city when WHITMAN and FLAD carry out their stupendous scheme of transferring the city pumping works from Bissell's Point to Chain-of-Rocks. Mr. STONE seems to be skirting around the barbed edge of a $30,000 libel suit.

WE learn from the St. Joseph *Gazette* that it is not DICK LIDDELL, but his master, or masters, that Gen. JOE SHELBY is after. From the same source we also learn that "Ray County is after LIDDELL with a vigilance which will sooner or later perfect its mission." We are evidently on the eve of stirring times.

IT is announced that the Hon JOE BLACKBURN, of Kentucky, has barely escaped a terrible personal conflict with a local politician who took umbrage at some of his remarks. Mr. BLACKBURN swings a jaw of great magnitude, and he keeps it well lubricated. It is always flapping around in such a way as to cause him distress.

THE poetic editor of the *Globe-Democrat* speaks this morning of "the pleasure of the plant in flowering." This is nothing compared with the hilarious feeling that permeates a watermelon when it finds itself maturing and contemplates the announcement of one of the Rev. BEN. DEERING'S camp-meetings in the neighborhood.

A SYNDICATE of capitalists has been formed, it is said, to build a mammoth hotel at the Shoshone Falls of Snake River, Idaho, with a view to booming the place as a Western Niagara. President ARTHUR will be too busy with politics next summer to go out and give the place the benefit of an advertisement, but English Lords, German Barons and Prussian Dukes can be had for the asking and for transportation.

THE Sedalia *Democrat* is booming another candidate. It is now sanding the track for Judge WARWICK HOUGH, who would feel complimented if the Democratic party should renominate him for Supreme Judge. The PHELPS' organ will soon have laid out a complete State ticket for the Democracy, due reference being had to the geographical bearings and local, "looence." This is what is called "doing something for the party."

THE Chinese crisis becomes more imminent daily, and the English press is discussing the situation with extreme gravity. Any war in the East will injure British interests and the *Times* predicts a deficit in the Indian revenue following upon the heels of hostilities. That France will draw back in order to prevent any disturbance in English trade remains to be proved. Above all things and before all things France needs a glory fest now, and nowhere

[illegible] that the Mayor will not re-

in China. The taste of the Franco-German war is still in the Gallic mouth. If that nauseating bitter can be dispelled by a slice of Anam, and the slaughter of a few thousand Chinese, so much the better for Europe at large.

HERE'S RICHNESS!

Some facts that may not prove uninteresting to tax-payers were brought out yesterday by the House of Delegates Committee engaged in the exciting work of inquiring into the management of the mysterious City Water-works. In the year 1871 Mr. DONK had a contract to supply the coal used at the works. The year following the firm of HAZARD & WILSON secured the contract at 9½ cents per bushel. During the year, Mr. CHAPHE, then Superintendent, rejected twenty-five car-loads of the coal. A committee of experts examined the rejected coal and reported to the Board that it was better than the coal furnished the previous year.

A test was then made of the coal furnished by HAZARD and the coal furnished by DONK. Mr. BENJ. BADGER, at that time an engineer at the Works, testified that under instructions from CHAPHE cold water was turned into the boiler when HAZARD'S coal was being tested. When DONK'S coal was placed under the furnace he had the benefit of warm water in the boiler. Naturally his coal made the best showing. Further than this, the register showing the revolutions of the engines was tampered with so as to indicate better results from DONK'S coal than from HAZARD'S.

The test was so unsatisfactory to HAZARD that he supposed his contract was annulled, and he stopped supplying fuel. His contract was then forfeited and CHAPHE went into the market to buy coal. He purchased from HARDING 200 car-loads at 18½ cents per bushel. It was coal taken from the identical mine from which the rejected coal had been taken a few months before. By this little transaction the city lost something like $50,000.

Mr. BADGER swears that he made a report of this business to the Water Board at the time, but no attention was paid to it. The Board consisted of W. H. STONE, R. M. RENICK and HENRY FLAD.

It is thus we obtain a little insight into the methods which have prevailed at the City Water Works under the superintendency of Mr. CHAPHE. The city is juggled out of $50,000 and a Board, composed of citizens supposed to be devoted to the public welfare, takes not the slightest notice of it. Comment at this stage of the proceedings would be superfluous.

Other testimony to come will prove equally interesting to tax-payers, no doubt. Let the conflict proceed.

FRANK JAMES' ARMOR.

In another column we print a letter from an old friend of Judge PHILLIPS, a member of the bar of his district, sadly admitting that this eminent representative of our Supreme Court, by appearing as counsel for FRANK JAMES, has not only outraged the ethics of the bar and the proprieties and precedents of the bench, but has violated the statutes he is sworn to obey.

The statutes make it a misdemeanor for any Judge of a court of record, except the Judge of a County Court, to practice law, and the act creating a Supreme Court Commission makes its members, to all intents and purposes, members of the Supreme Court, requires of them the same qualifications, and makes their decisions final in certain contingencies. They are designated as Commissioners rather than Judges of the the Supreme Court, because the constitution limits the number of Supreme Court Judges that may be appointed in the usual way, but the law which permits the Supreme Court to appoint these Commissioners to share its labors and responsibilities imposes on them the same sacred obligations and the same exclusively judicial duties as if they were made Supreme Court Judges in the regular way.

Judge PHILLIPS, in opening his speech to the jury in behalf of FRANK JAMES, told them, in effect, that he was there by the permission of the Supreme Court and in accordance with a bargain between him and the Supreme Court; that the Supreme Court had insisted on his accepting its appointment with the understanding that he was to cover the defense of FRANK JAMES with the ermine of that august body, and overawe the Presiding District Judge with the presence and authority of his judicial superiors. He told them, in effect, that while the nominal representative of the State in that trial was the Prosecuting Attorney, the real power of the State, and especially its highest judicial authority, were there arrayed for the defense in the person of a high-salaried representative of the Supreme Judiciary and of the Big Four who run Missouri politics. To the presiding Judge, Commissioner Phillips' presence there said: "Beware how you rule against this prisoner. The Supreme Court has in his behalf suspended the laws, and sent me here to run this case as its representative."

Yet this was a case in which Judge PHILLIPS' associate counsel intimated to the jury that they had at their beck a swarm of eager witnesses on the *alibi* point, and were holding them back through a prudent fear of overdoing the thing. Was a Supreme Court ever before placed in so disgraceful a position for the protection of a red-handed and notorious outlaw? Was ever before such degrading homage paid to the political influence of the old bush-whacker element? If there is any manhood in the Legislature, any respect for the purity and dignity of the judiciary, there will be an investigation of this thing and somebody will be impeached.

MAYOR EWING last night sent to the Council the name of CHARLES EVANS to be Chief of the Fire Department. It is definappoint Mr. SEXTON, who is undoubtedly the popular choice. The Underwriters want a change, the manufacturers and others who pay heavy rates of insurance want a change, and the Mayor is determined, as far as lies in his power, it seems, to accommodate the element which is clamoring for a new Chief. Meantime, owing to the obstruction in Council, the Fire Department is gradually tending toward demoralization. Chief SEXTON, being on pins, is unable to do himself justice, and the Fire Department is suffering. Capt. EVANS has had command of the Salvage Corps ever since its establishment in St. Louis. He is young, energetic and experienced. He handles the Salvage Corps in such a way as to demonstrate that he is a thorough disciplinarian. If there is to be a change, there is probably no better man for the place.

THE New York *Star*, which is John KELLY'S private tomahawk, which is published at two cents per copy, and which is not doing well, Mr. REILLY, manifests its hostility to the growing *World* and reiterates the story about the JAY GOULD ownership. The editor and owner of the *World* makes a statement from which it appears that neither JAY GOULD nor his able son, nor the incisive Gen. ECKERT, nor anybody else of that ilk, owns a penny's worth of the stock of the paper. The "reading" in the *World* doesn't sound much like a newspaper controlled by Gouldism, but it will probably be a year before the knaves quit repeating the stupid lie which they have inherited from the discharged *valet*.

AT the meeting of the Local Steam Engineers' Association last evening, the management of the city Water-works was very severely criticised. It was the opinion of one ardent member that if the city would put three practical engineers in charge of the works they could, in three days' time, set the water to flowing over the sides of Compton Hill reservoir. The little engineers should be careful how they talk. The Scientists who are kindly running the Water-works have shown a disposition lately to number $50,000 libel suits among their valuable assets.

WE sometimes wonder if the POST-DISPATCH supposes its country customers never tire of reading the same dispatches twice in succession. —Booneville Advertiser.

An evening paper, publishing editions, can not always be fresh and complete. It is customary to reprint in to-day's first edition some of the matter which appeared in yesterday's last edition. It occasionally happens that a reader will encounter what appears to be a duplication. But the fact remains that the POST-DISPATCH is the best evening paper published in this country. The matter that it prints is so good that it would bear reprinting two or three times.

The Missouri *Statesman* is reprinting this trenchant extract from one of Senator VEST'S speeches:

If to-day by act or word of mine I could obliterate the last vestige of alcoholic traffic from the face of the earth I would do so, so help me God.

When and where did Mr. VEST make this startling remark? We would like to have the specifications. Mr. VEST can never carry on a successful joust with Chaplain BROOKS while his gallant steed is handicapped with this chunk of intellectual pot-metal.

THE POST-DISPATCH made a sorry effort to imitate the St. Joseph Gazette. The editorial in question had too many historical and mythological references, and not enough picturesqueness.—[Sedalia Democrat.

We cannot expect to rival the Old Master at the outset, but we are gradually learning to mix the paint, and we intend to keep on trying.

MAYOR EWING has made a mistake in giving permission to CHIEF SEXTON to turn out a portion of the Fire Department in the Trades Procession. The mission of the F. D. is to extinguish fires, and the engines are not plaything.

THE bolting Democrats in Cincinnati placed their county ticket in the field this morning. The ticket is a tolerably good one, but the procession that will follow it will probably be small.

IT is reported this morning that the Chinese and the French have patched up a peace. There will be no broken China this year.

WOMEN OF THE WORLD.

LITTLE Miss Nellie Arthur, for one, knows what a nice thing it is to have a President in the family.

MRS. LANGTRY says she was nearly worried to death by American journalists. They did not flatter her.

MR. KEEL, of Detroit, in writing to Castle Garden for a wife, is careful to say: "A Red hair person need not apiye."

MISS ELIZABETH STUART PHELPS is about to try the dangerous experiment of writing a sequel to one of her most popular stories, "The Gates Ajar."

EXTRACT from a letter from Angelica: "Dear Henry—You ask if I return your love. Yes, Henry. I have no use for it, and return it with many thanks. By by, Henry."

A YOUNG lady writes to the Enquirer to complain that in a tender little poem of hers the compositor made her ask, "Where is Lafe?" when, as a matter of fact, she had written "Where is Life?"

THE experience of Miss Horton in the Treasury Department shows what insults lady employes in Government departments are subjected to. Even the Goddess of Liberty would hardly be exempt if she held a federal clerkship.

ANSWERS TO CORRESPONDENTS.

TAX—The total tax in St. Louis this year, on school, city, streets, etc. will be $2 55 per $100.

SUBSCRIBER—Nevada is now a State. It was admitted to the Union in 1864.

READER—Pay patients are received at the County Insane Asylum.

READER—There is no such place as Happy Dock, French Machine street, in St. Louis. Try New Orleans.

SATURDAY CHAT.

It is singular how the solidarity of a party made up for European travel segregates under the influence of the Continental climate. Last spring John W. Norton, Charley Elleard, James Hill and J. C. Normille conspired to attack the Old World in solid column, and they are coming home in detachments of one at a time, with old friendships broken, old love lost, old magnetisms demagnetized. They came near separating in New York, but, inasmuch as they could hardly get away from each other on the steamer, the difficulty was smoothed over and they assaulted Europe in a body. Now, Col. Normille had been planning this trip for some time, and he had written to the different capitals of the Continent for exact information as to the exact amount of money upon which human life could be supported in those strange and foreign lands. On the trip he forced the commissariat to fit the information that he had acquired. He was saturated with the idea that all the people in foreign parts were in a great conspiracy to rob the unwary American, and trouble naturally ensued. The path of the party was marked by one long, continuous wrangle. There was cursing and ripping at Calais, there was imprecation at Paris, there was hot language at Lyons. Several times the gendarmerie were called out to quell the disturbance, but experience could not wither nor custom stale the infinite variety of the Colonel's obstinacy. He would not be robbed. He held oratorical contests with inn-keepers, and high debates with waiters. He harried store-keepers, and he would not let guides plunder him. Seeing that he was the cicerone of the party, the rank and file of the same became more and more restive as the row continued. They went over the Pyrenees, and the only difference in the Colonel's eloquence was that from broken French it changed to an even more fractured article of broken Spanish. Flesh and blood, say these wretched Pilgrims, could stand it no longer, and so they began to dodge. They got away from the Colonel at Valencia, but he caught them at Genoa. They escaped once more at Naples, but were recaptured in Rome, and the last they saw of the economical and disputatious Colonel he was on the corner of the Via Saora and the Strada di San Ursula, engaged in a violent altercation with a street boy over a denarius too much charged in a trade for a pair of shoe strings. This is but one side of the story, and I am constrained to ask a suspension of public opinion until Col. Normille gets home.

THIS new rule at the Natatorium rather catches me. I have always thought that I would admire to see how our home Beauties would look in the mimic surf of the basin. Accordingly, as Urania has intimated to me that I may be her escort if I choose, I shall so choose. I hope that I am not preparing myself for a bitter disillusionment. St. Louis is full of girls whose faces are fair as a poet's dream, but I have always feared that eighty per cent of the charm lay in the drapery. *Omne ignotum pro magnifico*, is a wise old saw which means that humanity is disposed to take many things on credit and hearsay. Are our belles wise in this experiment?

And while my mind is on this subject of statuesquery, and not speaking as one who knows anything about it, an old theatrical costumer once told me that I would be surprised to know the amount of padding which was necessary when the society young man was about to hie him to the fancy dress ball. She said that as far as good legs went, there were none in the first circles in St. Louis, and that many of the calves that I had admired, pendent to the Sir Walter Raleighs, and the Spanish Courtiers of the reign of Charles V., that I had seen were chiefly cotton batting. She could not account for this, but her remark has come back to me while I ponder over the invitation Urania gave me to go with her to the Natatorium, and I wonder if Nature had been more generous to our girls than to our boys.

URANIA, to whom I hinted the matter of my meditation, smiled in a wise way and said: "Go to, thou foolish one, and know that the girls of this day and generation are shrewd and crafty. Those of us who are not prepared for the ordeal by water will stay at home and denounce the iniquitous idea, while those of us who are ready for inspection, and feel ourselves inspectable will be there. Permit not this statement to elude your mnemonics, for thus readeth the first lesson."

I WAS riding in on the Missouri Pacific last week, and as we passed the magnificent ruins of the abandoned Four House near Allenton, Lenox, who was sitting next me, said: "That foundation represents about two millions of profit that somebody didn't make. I was a member of the corrupt County Court at that time, and I know all about it. Did you ever hear the story? No? Then I'll tell you. Everybody was on the make in those benighted times, and it was concluded that the city needed a new Poor House. The tract of ground standing over yonder (320 acres) was offered to the city by the owner for $25,000. It was worth not more than $6,000. The County Court would not buy it, and a little later that very same tract was offered by a prominent saloon-keeper for $40,000 and bought by the court. The owner got his $25,000, the saloon-keeper got $1,000 as a commission, and the other $14,000 was thrown into a sewer, I suppose. "The old Poor House was put up for sale, and Somebody, who wanted to clinch the building of the new one, made up his mind to buy the old House. The grounds were cut up into lots which went for a song. Just then Joe Locke had not shown any sign of going crazy, you know he afterwards did, he attended the sale, and had his eye on the building. What he wanted it for God knows, but he bid and bid and bid. So that instead of getting the building for a few thousand dollars, Somebody was forced to pay $26,000 for it. He had to buy it, or the balance of the scheme could not be worked, and if Joe Locke had kept on bidding Somebody would have had to pay $50,000 for the house, and he would have done it, too, sooner than it should be in other hands."

"THE new Poor House began going," continued Lenox, "the city still occupying the old one and paying Somebody a nice rent, while Somebody was building the new one. That County Court went out of power, and a new one came in that wanted Somebody to tell them what the new Poor House would cost. 'Any where between one and three millions,' was the reply, and the building was ordered stopped, after $200,000 had been spent on that foundation you saw yonder. Well, what were we going to do for the Poor House? Somebody came in and offered us the old one, for which he had paid $26,000, for $35,000—grounds and building were not worth $10,000. I objected. I was seen. I objected again that I hadn't been seen enough: I was seen again and seen more so. I objected that the newspapers would never stand such an outrageous job. I was told to wait a day or two. Next day out comes the Republican with a long editorial on the manifest necessity of buying back the old Poor House for $35,000. Another day or two and Fourth and Pine street was favorably heard from. Somebody was a public benefactor, and the County Court should rise above questions of party and give him $35,000 for the old Poor House. Next day the Times spoke up. What this city needed was the old Poor House, and $35,000 was little enough to pay for it. I was seen once more and obliged to admit that the newspapers were squared. Then I got an offer from the man owning the adjoining lot offering to sell it with the buildings on it for $1,500, and that crushed the scheme. Oh, in the good old days St. Louis was a great place to make money in."

THE number of St. Louis publications was swelled during the week by the appearance of the American Journalist, a monthly devoted to the interests of newspaper men throughout the Union. A copy of the first issue, now before me, is an assurance that the gentlemen conducting the publication thoroughly understand their business. They have gotten out a paper full of interest to their brethren of the press in as far as the reading matter is concerned, and of special local importance, as there is contained in it a series of biographical sketches of St. Louis editors, with flattering portraits of these gentlemen as they look after handling the last batch of "copy" to the foreman of the news-room. A directory showing the whereabouts of all newspaper-men in the United States is a good feature of the American Journalist. The letter press of the monthly is excellent throughout, and, both in appearance and contents, the work is an achievement of which all journalists may be proud. Messrs. C. P. Yorkston and George Mills, both for many years connected with the daily press, are the publishers.

THE METROPOLITAN PRESS.

What the Editors of the New York Journals Are Saying To-Day.

By Telegraph to the Post-Dispatch.

NEW YORK, September 8.—The World says: "Senator Blair loses an opportunity of showing his unfitness for his place by sneering at the press. A man in public life who sneers at the press belongs to the dark ages. On the other hand it is only fair to Senator Blair to say that the press has told the truth about him, and this must be exceedingly disagreeable to a statesman of Senator Blair's calibre."

THE SUN.

The Sun says: "We believe that the world will yet arrive at a condition in which there will be no poverty that will cause suffering, and in which every man who works will secure affluence by his labor. But as yet we have not reached that condition of things. There is not enough produced to satisfy the desires of everybody, and those who think that by legislating upon the hours of labor, or by any other sort of legislation, they can bring about the reign of peace and and an abundance of justice and felicity are, in our judgment, mistaken."

THE TIMES.

The Times says: "The chairman of the Utah Commission declares that by a rigid enforcement of the Edmunds act about fifteen thousand Mormon polygamists have been disfranchised. This number exceeds the previous estimates by 25 per cent. So long, however, as the number of Mormons not disfranchised greatly exceeds the number of Gentile residents of the Territory, the Territorial Legislature and all the local offices will be controlled by the Mormon Church. The law is not a failure, for under it nearly all of the practical polygamists have been deprived of the ballot and debarred from office holding."

THE TRIBUNE.

The Tribune says: "If those two wandering ruffians, Slade and Mitchell, really ever had any intention of pummeling each other in a genuine prize-fight in the Southwest, it looks now, at least, as if the affair would not come off. One telegraphs that the other must fight him at New Orleans, and that this is final. The other says that the fight can only take place in Mexico, and that 'this is final.' Let us hope for the sake of decency that this is indeed the end, and not only preliminary advertising for another brutal exhibition under police protection at the Madison Square Garden in this city."

THE HERALD.

The Herald says: "The preliminary report of the Utah Commission seems to show that whatever were the results of the last election the commission were not at fault and that the Edmunds law was insufficient to effect what it was intended to accomplish. In fact the commission makes such a use of their powers that not only the law, but their actions under the law, are to be judged by the courts. The few figures now published show that while it is a comparatively simple matter to deprive a man of his vote on the charge of being a polygamist, it is almost impossible to secure his conviction of polygamous practices. The difficulty of securing evidence on this point is one of the chief problems in dealing with Mormons."

POLITICAL DRIFT.

MR. TILDEN'S Democratic Advance has an article headed, "Tilden to Enter the Race."

GEN. NEAL DOW, who wants to hang rumsellers, is making some very intemperate speeches in Ohio. Democrats ought to pay him, although he talks at Republican meetings.

GEN. SHARPE, formerly a Stalwart, is reported as having told Mr. George M. Pullman, who is a Stalwart, that in the Presidential election New York State will go Democratic.

THE Hon. Thomas A. Hendricks is busy preparing a big speech on the temperance question in politics, with which he will open the Iowa campaign at Council Bluffs next Tuesday.

THE Iowa Republicans are said to be deserting their party in droves, and the defections are already so large that the Democrats have high hopes of carrying the State. The Prohibition rumpus is what is making all the trouble.

"THE bitter struggle now going on between the Democratic factions in this State and the deep and subtle plannings of the respective leaders," says the Baltimore American, "bear a strange resemblance to the contest between the Pendleton and McLean factions in Ohio."

CHARLES FRANCIS ADAMS is quoted as saying that one objection to holding the office of Governor of Massachusetts is the one-year term. Charles wants to freeze to an office for a long time when he takes the trouble of going for it.

THE Charleston News (Democrat) does not relax its opposition to Mr. Randall's Speakership ambition. "Were the Democrats to elect him," it says, "they would convince so many Democrats that there is no life or help in the party that there would be apt to be a terrible lukewarmness at the next election."

COURIER-JOURNAL: In a general way Judge Field's budget may be epitomized to mean a bid for the South. But, with a characteristic lack of the politician's instinct, the great lawyer completely misses both the wishes of the South and the spirit of the time.

IN a speech at Des Moines recently Gen. Weaver, the Greenbacker, is reported to have said: "I am charged with being in favor of fusion with the Democrats and in favor of the defeat of prohibition. The second charge is a lie. But I say publicly and freely that the first duty of the people of Iowa is to see that not a single Allison man be elected. I want him defeated at all events."

MEN OF NOTE.

THERE are thirty-five Total Abstinence men in the British House of Commons.

SENATOR HALE was called from his seaside residence at Bar Harbor to his Ellsworth home to hunt forest fires.

JUDGE OLIVER WENDELL HOLMES, JR., is "mentioned" as a possible Republican candidate for Governor of Massachusetts.

THE estate of Dr. Glenn, the California wheat-raiser, will amount to more than $1,000,000 after the debts of $1,450,000 are paid.

THE Robert E. Lee, Matchless, and Scooper mines of Leadville have been sold to an English syndicate, by ex-Governor Tabor, for $5,000,000.

THE only Boston men we ever hear of now are Ben Butler, Joseph Cook and Slugger Sullivan. "Clime of the mighty! can it be that this is all remains of thee?"

JAMES SHERMAN of Lafayette, N. Y., has a brook trout 32 years old. It is kept in a well, has lost its spots and looks aged and faded, but is apparently hearty.

SAYS the Philadelphia Press: "Judge Black seems to have done like other lawyers who draw their wills, and left behind him an instrument he would never have given a client. Three Re-

GEN. JAS. A. EKIN, whose retirement from the regular army was announced last week, will make Louisville his future home. He has purchased an elegant residence in that city.

THE Czar and Czarina of Russia are inseperable companions. They study history, mathematics and political economy together, ride together, and when possible, live a natural, simple life.

CHIEF JUSTICE COLERIDGE and President Arthur are expected at Newport the latter part of next week. The Chief Justice will be tendered a dinner at the Casino by Judge Blatchford.

THE PEOPLE'S FORUM.

Where the Readers of the Post-Dispatch Get a Hearing.

LEXINGTON, Mo., September 6, 1883.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch:

It is seldom that I venture in print, yet I cannot but commend your editorial on Commissioner Phillips' appearance as counsel in the James case. It is a sad spectacle—without precedent in the judicial history of the country, and a lowering of that delicate sense of propriety which should actuate the bar and bench. I have great regard for Col. Phillips, and I much regret this sad, sad mistake he has committed.

His appearance as counsel is contrary to professional ethics and the statute law of the State. Among lawyers it has been regarded from time "whereof the memory of man runneth not to the contrary," as exceedingly improper if not disgraceful for a Judge to appear in any cause as counsel; and an instance where any judge of respectable character has heretofore so appeared cannot be cited. To so appear is to give the weight of his official position (which he has no right to do) to a private cause. He carries the dignity and influence of his office, to some extent, with him, and exerts this in favor of one citizen and against another; or, as in this instance, against the State; and his opinions and statements have a weight and influence with court and jury, which as an individual, no matter how exalted, they would not have. Besides his services are paid for by the State and belong to the State. But it is unnecessary to talk of this phase of the case. Col. Phillips' conduct is the worst slap the bench and bar of this State has ever received, though it is doubtless true, he failed to fully consider the effect of his course before taking it, and the injury he was inflicting. Your Sedalia correspondent, "H." shows as great unfamiliarity with the law as he exhibits lack of appreciation of the dignity attaching to the official position of Col. Phillips. "H." says: "There is no law restraining him (Phillips) from aiding in this cause, else he would not be in it." There is a law that prohibits him—plainly and expressly prohibits him—though the statute is a supreme one, and requires that one of propriety should be the only restraint necessary.

Section 1051 R. S. Mo. declares: "No Judge of any court of record shall practice law or act as counselor or attorney in any court within this State, except as otherwise permitted by law."

Section 1052 makes a violation of the preceding section a misdemeanor in office and requires that the provisions of Section 1051 shall be given in special charge to the Grand Jury.

It is only necessary to add that by the act creating the Supreme Court Commission, the Commissioner is virtually a "Judge," and that, as Section 1051 uses the words, "except as otherwise permitted," there is no statute permitting or authorizing a Supreme Judge or Commissioner to practice in any case. It makes no difference that he was employed before his election or appointment, there is no law compelling any man to accept office (this is unnecessary), and if a judicial appointee does not desire to relinquish his private practice he is at liberty to decline the office.

LEX.

Discipline in the Fire Department.

ST. LOUIS, September 7, 1883.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.

In discussing the efficiency of our Fire Department there is one question that is either entirely ignored or treated as if it were a matter of trifling importance. It is, does the discipline of the Department include systematic daily exercise for every man connected with it or not? It is safe to say that without such exercises rigidly enforced a perfectly efficient fire department cannot exist. And quite safe to say further that if such exercise is neglected by Chief Sexton and the men are allowed to sit around in idleness between fires—sometimes days, sometimes weeks—the efficiency of the department can be increased thirty, forty, yes, fifty per cent, by simply employing a competent teacher of gymnastics with authority to enforce a sufficient amount of daily exercise to keep the men in condition for the tremendous exertions they are liable at any time to be compelled to make. The Greeks knew the value of systematic exercise in fitting men for violent and continued exertion of any kind. The Romans knew it, and in the sense that conquered the world every man understood exactly why he could hurl a javelin further and strike a harder blow with the sword than any man he was likely to meet in the ranks of the enemy. One who marched with Sherman from Atlanta to the sea told me that it took three years of constant marching and fighting to form an army that could march and fight effectively. And every prize fighter knows that without training he would be easily "knocked out" even by a man naturally his inferior. But among firemen there is sad lack of practical knowledge on this subject. In the Globe-Democrat of to-day there is an article headed "What the Merchants Say About the Insurance Companies," in which, however, the chief topic is the efficiency of Chief Sexton's administration of the Fire Department. Among the representative men quoted there, not one touches this question. Among others, Mr. Walker is quoted as saying: "I never go to fires, and, therefore, cannot judge of his efficiency in that way." It does not seem to have occurred to Mr. Walker or any of the gentlemen that one way to find out whether the men are efficient at fires is to ascertain whether they get the regular daily exercise without which they could not possibly be efficient. To be thoroughly efficient a fireman needs strength, activity, endurance, coolness and courage, and no matter how strong, active and brave the boys may be naturally (and I have no doubt they are good men), they can make themselves very much stronger, braver, and more active by a little exercise every day. Do they get this, is a question upon which, perhaps, Chief Sexton will enlighten the public. Perhaps, to save him trouble the POST-DISPATCH will send a reporter to get his answer. H.

For the Water-Works Investigator.

ST. LOUIS, September 8, 1883.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch:

During the water investigation now pending before the committee of the House of Delegates, perhaps the following questions might be asked? Why were the old pumping works at the foot of Bates street abandoned? Were the property, pumps and appurtenances belonging to the city, sold? If these pumps, engines, etc., were sold for old metal, on whose recommendation was it done? Under the existing circumstances was such a course wise? In making some connections with the lower ten or twelve years ago did not the city have to fall back for its supply of water on the old pumping works for several weeks? What defects are in the water tower? Will the Scientists please name them? Are they defects of omission? Can any connection be made with it now or at any other time without shutting off the water from the whole city? If not, why not? These, Mr. Editor, are questions which concern every person who has a habitat in ST. LOUIS.

A Literary Slip-Up.

ST. LOUIS, September 7, 1883.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.

Without a desire to detract from the glory of Mr. Wallace's speech at the trial of Frank James, would respectfully ask you if he did not slightly mix his mythological figures, when, in alluding to Gov. Johnson's remarks, he charged that the latter gentleman, "Hector-like, would drive off with the body of Justice bound and fettered dangling at his chariot wheels?" The above is taken literally from the columns of the Globe-Democrat of to-day, and if that paper misquoted the able attorney from Jackson County, in giving his address to the Gallatin jury, it should be corrected. The history of Hind furnishes no incident wherein Hector indulges in such barbaric sport with a Greek corpse. It is Achilles, who, after worsting Hhout in combat witnessed by Apollo and Athene, chains Hector's body to his chariot and drags it round the tomb of his slain friend Patroclus, whose death was thus avenged.

F. W. L.

Who Said to the Contrary?

ST. LOUIS, Mo., September 8, 1883.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.

AM pained every evening to peruse in your otherwise unobjectionable sheet, the column headed "People's Forum." Per contra, the people (vox populi) are most diametrically and emphatically forgiven rum. A vote thereon will readily exemplify how overwhelmingly numerous are the buenos over the alcoholic citizens of this great State. Tom T., Charley F. and I must cancel our subscriptions if a change is not made in said erroneous heading. Respectfully, S. T.

(You ought be out of your head. The People's Forum" is simply what it pretends to be—a place where the readers of the POST-DISPATCH can be heard, provided they do not talk too loud nor too long. We aim to give everybody a fair showing, making no distinction on account of race, color, religion or previous condition of servitude.—ED. P.-D.)

The Triflers in Council.

ST. LOUIS, September 7, 1883.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch:

Please publish the names of the "Solid Seven" who spend the people's money and oppose the Mayor's nomination for their own political ends. The people want to be sure.

A REGULAR SUBSCRIBER.

[Here they are: Vastine, Devoy, Temple, Stone, Straub, Cummings and Zelle.—ED. P.-D.]

The Free Pass.

From the New York World.

It will please the people of Canada to learn that the proposed visit of the Chief-Justice of England to that most flourishing colony was abandoned solely because the illustrious gentlemen who acted as a self-appointed committee of escort declined to pay their fare and were unable to pay their way. It will also impress the Lord Chief-Justice with a sense of the importance of the pass as an American institution.

John G. Thompson on the Outlook.

From the Zanesville Times.

"Mr. Thompson, are you claiming everything now?"

"Ain't claiming nothing."

"You have just come from Washington, have you?"

"Yes."

"How is the Washington end of the line pulling?"

"I didn't see any pulling at all."

"Are they talking politics over there?"

"Don't know; been attending to my own business," and he left the interviewer.

Senator Ingalls on Christening.

From the Miami Republican.

One evening, as the story goes, Mr. Ingalls noticed that John M. Price's palatial residence in Atchison was illuminated from garret to cellar, presenting a brilliant appearance. The Senator stopped and asked what this unusual sight meant, and when he received the reply that John M. Price's new baby was being baptized, and that they were having a jolly christening, muttered to himself, "The Devil you say. Why, if I were to have a display of that nature every time there was a baptism in my house, it would be economy for me to start a candle factory to supply my own demands."

We Are Glad.

From the Atlanta Constitution.

The New York World and Mr. John Sherman will be glad to hear that Savannah has an income tax. All incomes over $800 are taxed to support the city government, and the best lawyers of the city say the Mayor and Aldermen of our ancient and beautiful seaport have the law on their side. Savannah may be the entering wedge that will split wide open our entire system of taxation.

Struck Grass.

From the New Orleans Picayune.

One day Mike Sheridan telegraphed from the Yellowstone country that the Presidential party had "struck abundant and nutritious grass." They at last had been wandering a week without finding grass enough for a jump, and when they struck nutritious you can bet they made a night of it.

Advised to Stick to One Horse.

From the Boston Herald.

Mr. Carlisle, it is to be feared, is not enough of a politician to be a successful candidate for two offices at the same time. If not better advised he will be likely to fall between the Senatorial and Speakership stools.

Why Not?

From the Washington Post.

It might be well for the House to omit in the appropriations for next year the salaries of all officials who are of so little use to the Government that they can be readily spared for political campaign work. This would promote civil service reform very effectually.

Campaign Horrors.

From the Chicago News.

The horrors of the present campaign in Ohio have never, in the history of modern crime, been equaled. Murat Halstead is writing letters about John McLean.

Back-Slapping Increasing.

From the Boston Courier.

Hand-shaking is as widespread and popular as ever, and the still more vicious habit of slapping on the back is unmistakably on the increase.

Brewster Asleep.

From the Washington Post.

Some surprise is expressed that the Department of Justice has not put its coat-of-arms in mourning for King Henry V. of France.

Confession of a Georgia Poet.

From the North Star.

A jug of whisky, now and then, makes biggest fools of wisest men.

IN THE CORRIDORS.

"You can't say that Evans is the underwriters' man for Fire Chief, you are away off on that," said Geo. T. Cram. "The one thing you can be sure on is that we don't want Sexton."

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"THE full testimony and all the speeches of the Frank James trial are to be published in book form from Robinson's stenographic notes. The book is to be edited by Morrison Reushau," said Chas. P. Johnson.

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"I THINK that if Gov. Crittenden should look into the matter with reasonable fairness, he would see that the Supreme Court has already passed favorably upon the law of 1857," said J. C. McGinness, "and he would not be talking about his not doing anything until all legal remedies have been exhausted."

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"I do not understand," said Chief Sanitary Inspector Bull, "how it is that a man like Charley Green pays no more attention to the fines this department piles up against him in the police court than he does to the abatement of the nuisances which we are prosecuting. He does not set a very good example."

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"I HAD a long talk with the Mayor yesterday about the dead-lock," said Councilman Devoy, "and I told him that I believed that there would be a harmonious understanding reached between the Councilmen by the next meeting."

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"SINCE the establishment of the Fourth street and Chouteau avenue depot of the Iron Mountain Railroad," said Ira Terry, "there has been an enormous increase in the population of Carondelet. That portion of the city is reached by train in ten minutes, and great numbers of clerks and others are removing from the West End to the southern limit. Such is the benefit of rapid transit."

EAST ST. LOUIS.

The members of the police force on night duty are still on the strike, although a few of them returned last night to resume work, but were not given their beats. Chief Halloran said this morning that all the men returned, last night but according to his instructions from the Council they were notified that their services were no longer required. The Council held a caucus meeting last evening, and entered into an agreement not to take back any officer that joined the strike. The officers deny they returned to duty last night, and claim they will not return till their back salary is paid in full.

The Venice and

MISSOURI NEWS.

A Colored Murderer Badly Treated—Killed by Lightning, Etc.

OSAGE CITY, September 8.—A colored mob attacked Constable Kranz and his deputy who had charge of Mingo, the colored man who stabbed Whitten, and getting Mingo away from them, stabbed him six times and left him for dead. Mingo was brought to Jefferson and is now in jail with small chances of recovery.

JOPLIN, September 8.—Geo. Brunk was arrested at Short Creek, Kan., to-day for a murder committed here a year ago.

RICH HILL, September 8.—C. C. Waincatt was struck by lightning while stacking hay yesterday.

DE SOTO, September 8.—The Jefferson County Fair closed yesterday, a financial success.

SEDALIA, September 8.—The attendance at the fair was not large yesterday, but the show was as good as ever. Capt. W. P. Paff, who went to Colorado for his health, returned yesterday in a woful condition.

MARSHALL, September 8.—The fair yesterday was well attended, the races being the great feature.

LA MONTE, September 8.—Walter Calhoun, 22 years of age, married, was found in his yard dead with a pistol by his side. He left a note stating he died by his own hand.

CARTHAGE, September 8.—Emery & Marriner, dealers in implements, made an assignment yesterday; liabilities $10,000.

CIGARETTE reduction. Little Beauties *round* Turkish and Virginia tobacco, packages of 20, 10c

POLICE COURT CASES

Arraigned Before Judge Jecko For Trivial Offenses To-day.

Frank Thomas was arrested last night while peddling cheap jewelry among women of ill repute in the vicinity of Seventh and Clark avenue by Officer Heffernan, and was arraigned in the First District Police Court to-day on a charge of peddling without license. He was convicted and fined $10 After he was placed in the dock he borrowed pencil and paper and in a few minutes sent Judge Jecko a most eloquent plea for leniency. After reading the argument Judge Jecko said: "No man who can write like that should go to the workhouse or break rock." City Attorney Clover coincided with the Judge and Thomas was released.

Thomas C. Chandler was arrested yesterday at Sixth street and Clark avenue for a trivial disturbance, and when searched at the station house a revolver was found in his pocket. He was fined $20 by Judge Jecko this morning.

George Vaiboom was enjoying a drink of beer on the street yesterday when Officer Fuqua rounded the corner and arrested him for drinking on the street. To-day he was fined $10, but on registering a promise never to do so again he was released.

Bryant & Stratton's Night School.

The night session of the Bryant & Stratton Business and Telegraph College will begin September 10. For circulars call at the College office, corner Fifth and Market streets.

BELLEVILLE.

The Eurekas of St. Louis and the Black Stockings of Belleville will play to-morrow.

Coroner Bader has disposed by auction of the effects of Gottlieb Hoeyes who died suddenly two weeks ago.

John Weber, residing at Pleasant Hill, was kicked in the face by a horse last evening, sustaining dangerous injuries.

John Weber of Caseyville was adjudged insane in the County Court last evening, and sent to the hospital at Anna this morning.

An important game of base ball is in progress at Coulterville. The Coulterville club are assisted by St. Louis boys and the Duquoin club by Chicago boys.

The following marriage licenses were granted by the Clerk of the County Court from Sept. 1. to Sept. 8: Philip Wanger and Lulu Gongeon, Simon Dahvendorf and Katie Mayliffe, Wm. F. McMurrey and Emma Ackermann, Gottlieb Hurnl and Clara Foersterling, Frederick Wiesermann and Cyretta Smith, Ph. P. Jones and Annie R. Kilgore, John Kamper and Maggie McDonald, Hermann Kaufmann and Julia Glommet, Gottfried Hutsscker and Rosalie Teigmann, George C. Lemon and Laura Agnew, John Rudolph and Theresa Dozer, Charles Eisenhardt and Mrs. Mary Albrecht, A. C. Stafford and Mrs. Amanda Anderson, Joseph R. Gale and Emma A. Fioraine, Freeman Williams and Clara Washington, A. D. Arnold and Carrie E. Wilson, Robert Schivarz and Anna Dobsch:

OBTAIN rooms through the want columns of the POST-DISPATCH, twenty words for ten cents.

A Banquet to Col. Herbert.

An elegant banquet was given Col. C. W. Herbert by a party of his friends last evening at Forest Park Restaurant, prominent amongst whom were Messrs. A. E. Faust, Emile Bessiel, Ellis Wainwright, D. G. Cook and others. The supper was all that could be desired. The cuisine was prepared under the well-known chefs, C. Cramer and E. Gorgei. The health and future success of the genial host was drunk with flowing bowls of Mumm's Extra.

LITTLE BEAUTIES *round* cigarettes can now be bought in packages of twenty for ten cents.

FRESH Original Budweiser always on tap at Budweiser Beer and Wine Co., 415 North Sixth street.

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DIED.

GAYLORD—On Saturday morning, at 11 o'clock, E. H. GAYLORD, at his late residence, 2353 Chestnut street.

Due notice of the funeral will be given.

New York and Syracuse papers please copy.

LUDEWIG—At Carondelet, Mo., on Friday, September 7, 1883, at 3 p. m., after a short illness, JOHANNES LUDEWIG, aged 63 years and 9 months.

Due notice of funeral will be given.

ARPE—At Diehlstadt, Scott County, Mo., August 31, Mrs. CHARLES ARPE, aged 59 years, 8 months and 17 days.

ARPE—At Diehlstadt, Scotts County, Mo., August 31, 1883, Mrs. CHARLES ARPE, aged 59 years, 10 months and 17 days.

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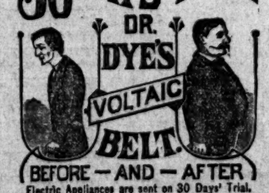

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6 Cavatina La Sonnambula.....Bellini
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RELIGIOUS NOTICES

United Presbyterian Chapel, corner Grand and Clark avenues.—Services Sabbath, July 1, at 10½ o'clock a.m., by the pastor, Rev. Mr. Wallace. Sabbath school at 2½ o'clock. All are invited and welcome.

Union M. E. Church, Garrison and Lucas avs.—Rev. C. P. Masden, 10:30 a. m. and 7:45 p. m.

Second Baptist Church, corner of Locust and Beaumont (27th) streets. The pastor, Rev. W. Boyd D. D., will preach at 11 o'clock a. m. Subject: "Philemon, the True Helper." At 8 o'clock p. m. he will lecture upon "Man and Antichrist." Church Sunday-school at 9:30 a. m. Afternoon school at 3 o'clock. Weekly service on Wednesday evening. All are welcome.

Trinity Church, corner Washington avenue and Eleventh st.—Rev. George C. Betts, rector. Holy communion 7 o'clock. Morning prayer and sermon 11 a. m. No Sunday-school till first Sunday in October. Evening prayer 4 p. m. Compline and sermon 8 p. m. Holy communion every Thursday and Holy-day 7 a. m.

First Congregational Church, Belmar av. near Grand—Rev. J. G. Merrill, pastor; residence 3626 Franklin avenue. Services at 10:45 a. m. and 7:45 p. m. Sabbath-school at 12 m. Society of Christian Endeavor 7 p. m. Wednesday evening meeting at 8. Sunday, September 9, morning sermon to "Unrecognized Christians;" evening, "The Motel Daughter-in-Law."

Grand Av. Presbyterian Church, cor. Grand and Washington avs.—Preaching Sabbath, September 9, at 10:45 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. by pastor, Rev. Dr. Nelson Hollifield. Sabbath-school at 9:15 a. m. Prayer-meeting Wednesday evenings at 7:45 o'clock. welcome.

Lafayette Park Presbyterian Church (opposite western gate of the park).—Services at 11 a. m. and 8 p. m. by Rev. Wm. H. Roberts, D. D., of Princeton, N. J., who is permanent clerk of the Presbyterian General Assembly, and is a finished scholar and eloquent speaker, will preach Sunday. Sunday-school meets at 3 o'clock p. m. Prayer-meeting Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock. Teachers' meeting for the lesson Sunday morning at 10 o'clock. All are cordially invited to attend all meetings.

St. Luke's M. E. Church, corner Potomac and Clara streets.—Pastor, Albert Jump. Morning service 10:30 a. m. Evening service 7:45 p. m. Sabbath School at 9 a. m. Prayer-meeting Wednesday evening at 7:45 p. m.

Washington and Compton Avenue Presbyterian Church.—James H. Brookes, pastor. Preaching on the Lord's Day at 10:30 a. m. and 8 p. m.; young people's meeting at 7 p. m. Lecture Wednesday evening, and prayer meeting Friday evening.

Grace Church, cor. of Twelfth and Warren sts.—Rev. Dr. Ingraham, rector. Summer services: Morning service, 11 o'clock; evening service, 8 o'clock.

Carondelet M. E. Church, Corner of Second and Union streets, Carondelet, Mo.—Rev. G. W. Hughey, D. D., pastor. Preaching at 10:30 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Prayer meeting Wednesday evening. S. S. at 2:30 p. m. Class-meeting Sunday morning at 9:30, and Friday evening.

First Presbyterian Church, Lucas place and Fourteenth street. The Rev. H. D. Ganse will occupy the pulpit of the First Presbyterian Church to-morrow. The evening sermon will be addressed to young men. Subject, "Expectation."

Fifth Congregational Church.—Cor. Clark av. and High st.; Market st. or Jefferson av. cars. The pastor, Rev. Geo. C. Adams, will preach at 10:30 a. m. and 8 p. m. Bible school at 12 m. Young people's prayer-meeting at 7:30 p. m. All are welcome. Seats free.

Pilgrim Congregational Church, corner Washington and Ewing avs.—Rev. C. L. Goodell, D. D., will preach at 10:30 a. m. in connection with the Lord's Supper. At 8 o'clock p. m. there will be a bible school concert; subject, "Temperance," with an address by the pastor. Bible school at 2:30. Young people's meeting at 7 o'clock p. m. welcome.

Christian Church, Eighth and Mound streets. Chaplain Mullins preaches tomorrow at 10:30 a. m. and 7:45 p. m. Come and bring your friends with you.

Glasgow Av. Presbyterian Church, cor. Glasgow ave. and Dickson st. Rev. W. C. Douglass, secretary Y. M. C. A., will preach tomorrow at 10:45 a. m. and 8 p. m. Sunday-school at 2:30 p. m. Young people's meeting at 7 p. m. Wednesday evening prayer-meeting at 8 o'clock. A cordial welcome to all.

Park Av. Baptist Church, Park avenue and State street.—Rev. Geo. A. Lofton, D. D., pastor, preaches at 10:30 a. m. and at 7:30 p. m. Sunday schools at 9 a. m. and 2:30 p. m. Prayer meeting at 7:45 p. m. Wednesday. Young people's meeting at 7:45 p. m. Friday. All welcome.

Third Congregational Church, Cornner Garrison and Park avenues.—Rev. Theodor Clifton, pastor, residence 3516 Pace avenue. Public worship and preaching every Sabbath at 11 a. m., and 8 p. m.; prayer-meeting Wednesday evenings, and young peoples' meetings every Friday evening. Friends and strangers are cordially invited to all services.

Second Presbyterian Church. N. W. corner Seventeenth street and Lucas place. Rev. S. J. Niccolls, D. D. pastor. Divine service, Sunday 8, at 11 a. m., conducted by Rev. Walter Craigin, of this city. No evening services. Dr. Niccolls will occupy his own pulpit on Sabbath next, 16th inst. Sunday-school at 9:30 a. m. in the chapel. All are invited and welcome.

St. Mark's English Lutheran Church —Hell st. and Cardinal av. M. Rhodes, D. D. pastor. Preaching, 10:45 a. m. No evening service. Prayer meeting and lecture by the pastor every Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock.

St. Peter's Church, Grand av. and Olive st.—Rev. S. Burkley, D. D., pastor. The usual service will be held by the rector tomorrow morning at 10:45 o'clock, and every Sunday morning during the summer at the same hour.

St. John's Episcopal Church, Corner Dolman and Hickory.—Services on Sunday, at 10:45 a. m. The Rev. J. T. Wright will officiate. Subject of sermon: "The Law of God and Man; or Religious and Civil Statutes." Seats free. All are welcome.

North Presbyterian Church, Corner Eleventh and Chambers sts.—Rev. H. Spencer Williams, pastor, has returned and will occupy the pupit both morning and evening. Services at 10:30 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Sunday school at 9 a. m. Young people's meeting at 6:45 p. m. Prayer-meeting and lecture Wednesday evening. The public cordially invited to attend divine worship.

Church of the Advent, Episcopal.—Twentieth st., bet. Wash and Carr.—Rev. J. Chesnutt, Rector. Service 10:30 a. m., with celebration of Holy Communion.

First Christian Church, Corner Olive and Seventeenth streets.—Wm. E. Hall, Pastor; satisfaction guaranteed. Preaching at 10:45 and evening at 7:45. Prayer-meeting Wednesday evenings. Sunday School at 9:15 a. m. Seats free. All are welcome.

Central Presbyterian Church, N. E. cor. Garrison and Lucas ave.—Morning services Sunday at 10:45; preaching by Rev. E. Cowan, D. D., of Pittsburg. No evening service. Sunday-school at 9:15 a. m. Ladies' prayer meeting Wednesday at 4 p. m. Lecture and church prayer meeting Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock. All welcome.

Fourth Baptist Church, Twelfth and North Market sts.—Rev. J. V. Schofield, D. D., pastor. Service 10:45 a. m., and 7:30 p. m. Sabbath School, H. H. Post, Superintendent, at 9 a. m. Prayer meeting Wednesday; young people's Friday evening.

Central Christian Church.—Rev. Joseph H. Foy, D. D., pastor. Services at 10:45 next every Sunday morning at 10:45. Everybody welcome.

Grand Avenue M. E. Church, Fourteenth and Obear avenue.—Rev. J. F. Cowden, Pastor. Morning service 10:45 a. m. Evening service 7:30 p. m. Sabbath school 2:30 p. m. Prayer meeting Wednesday evening 7:30.

First Methodist Church, corner Glasgow av. and Jefferson. Regular Sunday morning and evening services all continued and open to all. God's witness calls for constancy in praise and thanksgiving.

St. George's Church, corner Chestnut and Beaumont sts.—Rev. Dr. Hector, rector. Service at 10:45. Evening services discontinued till further announced.

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A REGULAR meeting of Benton Lodge, No. 1,022, K. of H., will be held on Monday evening at Druids' Hall, 9th and Market sts. Visiting brothers cordially invited.
DAVID PROSSER, Dictator.
JOHN DAY, Reporter.

FRIENDSHIP LODGE, NO. 622, K. & L. of H. meet every Saturday night corner of Summit av. and Market st. Visitors courteously invited. By order of the Protector.
S. BATES, Secretary.

WAYNE LODGE, No. 2874, K. of H., meets every Monday night, Hall, No. 2847 Chouteau av. Visiting brothers are invited to attend.
B. F. LOCKHART, Dictator.
JOHN L. CONKLIN, Reporter. 23

A REGULAR meeting of Benton Lodge, No. 1852, K. of H., will be held on Monday evening, April 16, 1883, at Druids' Hall, Ninth and Market sts. Degrees will be conferred. Visiting brothers cordially invited.
DAVID PROSSER, Dictator.
JOHN DAY, reporter. 4.33

WASHINGTON LODGE, No. 24, I. O. O. F., will hold an important meeting Friday, September 14; business requiring all members will be brought before the Lodge. Also double initiation. WM. RAMSEY, N. G.
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COURT PIONEER OF THE WEST A. O. F.—Meets every second and fourth Wednesday, corner 22d and Franklin av. Members of the order are invited. 23

HALL MISSOURI LODGE, 227, K OF H.—Regular meeting, Monday night next, work in the degrees. All members are invited to be present. Visiting brothers are cordially invited.
JOHN BRUCE, Dictator.
JOHN H. BARKER, Reporter. 23

BONAPARTE COUNCIL, No. 15, LEGION OF HONOR, now meets every Saturday night at their new hall, southeast corner 4th and Elm sts., opposite Southern Hotel; visiting Brothers are invited.
JAMES L. ADREON, Chancellor.
JAMES L. BARRON, Recorder.

This new and elegantly furnished hall is for rent for society purposes. Apply to E. L. Adreon, City Hall. 23

CASTLE EXCALIBUR, No. 7, Knights of the Golden Rule—Stated councils every Friday evening at hall, S. E. cor. 9th and Market sts. Visiting comrades invited. T. A. HUTCHINS, Commander.
WM. C. STREETOR, Sec. 10

PERSONAL SUNDRIES.

ASK your grocer for self-raising flour and buckwheat prepared by Charm Manufacturing Company 108 and 109 S. 2d st. 74

THE HONEST shoemaker of the world. Keeps over a hundred different styles on hand. Shoes to order from $7 to $15. Pastor Prance, is sowing. WEBERT at No. 8 Sixth st., opposite Barr's. All kinds of repairing neatly done. 74

GOLDEN RULE DRUG STORE, 908 South Fourth Street. Prescriptions carefully compounded day and night. A full stock of Fresh drugs. Patent Medicines, etc., etc. 75

MRS. M. BOURNELL, clairvoyant and test-medium, 1719 Broadway. 774

MRS. LANKTON, Indian fortune-teller, 921 N. 7th st.; side entrance, up stairs. 4

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1530 Franklin av. Rooms all on first floor. Best sets of teeth, $6 to $10. Gold fillings, $2; silver fillings, $1; composition fillings, 50c. Teeth extracted with or without gas, and all work warranted. Dr. George G. Utt, manager. 74

PERSONAL—Consult Una F. Silva, clairvoyant medium on business or anything pertaining to life; spiritual communications. 810 Franklin av. 74

PERSONAL—Select oysters, any style, 25 cents per dozen at Montgomery's, 404 Pine st. w74

PERSONAL—Mme. Blanch, trance, test and writing medium. 716 S. Fifth st. 74

PERSONAL—Miss Overdier, test and business medium, can be seen daily at 10 Center st., second floor. 77

PERSONAL—Natural flowers preserved or emblems to order; first-premium and diploma at the last three fairs; also wax flowers and fruit taught on reasonable terms by Mrs. S. Conners, 820 N. 12th st. 874

PERSONAL—Mrs. Brown, nee Seis, midwife, graduated with honor from the St. Louis School of midwives, receives ladies in house for confinement; business confidential. No. 1017 Chestnut st. 74

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KNIGHT BROS., Solicitors, Attorneys and Experts. S. E. Cor. 5th and Olive sts. 3d floor. Mention this paper. 74

WEAK UNDEVELOPED PARTS OF THE HUMAN BODY enlarged, developed and strengthened, etc., is an interesting advertisement long run in our paper. In reply to inquiries we will say that there is no evidence of humbug about it. On the contrary, the advertisers are very highly indorsed. Interested parties may get sealed circulars, giving all particulars, by addressing Erie Medical Co., P. O. box 313, Buffalo, N.Y.—Toledo Evening Bee.

When Gallery, 1733 Franklin av.; finest grade of cabinet photos. $2 50 per dozen; large work great ly reduced. North side. 74

DANCING.

Mme. L. LOUIS

will open a select dancing school September 15 at 2617 Olive st.; for particulars inquire or address at the above number. w76

PROF. WM. A. CLISBEE,

Select classes in dancing; first term commences Saturday, September 15, at 10 a. m. at Lieder-krans Hall; classes every Monday and Saturday; first term commences Monday, September 17, at 4 p. m., at Foster's school building, cor. 16th and Pine sts.; classes every Monday and Friday. 76

PROF. E. A. REINHOLDT'S

dancing academies are now open to receive scholars at Central Turner Hall, 16th between Market and Walnut streets, every Tuesday, Wednesday and Friday evenings. Party every Tuesday evening. South St. Louis Turner Hall, 16th and Carroll streets, Monday evening. Select party Thursday evenings. Party every Wednesday evening. Afternoon class every Monday and Thursday from 3:30 to 6 o'clock. New scholars can enter at any time. 76

THEATRICAL.

WANTED—Four handsome young ladies of refinement for the regular ballet. Apply in person to Joseph R. Pope, Pope's Theater. s10

BUSINESS FOR SALE.

COUNTRY store in good town; $50,000 yearly sales; take invoice. Charles Kuhn, 720 Pine st. s4

GOOD located drug store; fine business; good stock for $1,300. Charles Kuhn, 720 Pine st. s4

PRIVATE boarding-house on leading street; sixty boarders; cheap. Charles Kuhn, 720 Pine st. s4

NICE 16-room houses, full of boarders, at $425 and $450. Charles Kuhn, 720 Pine st. s4

BEST and oldest hotel here; cheap rent; near Union Depot; full of boarders; cheap. Charles Kuhn, 720 Pine st. s4

GOOD bakery and restaurant; only one in town; heavy profits; horse and wagon; $1,000; part cash. Charles Kuhn, 720 Pine st. s4

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A WELL established dressmaking shop for sale; a cheap for cash; parties leaving the city. Ap. at No. 3 N. 18th st. m6

FOR SALE—Well established dry goods and notion store; best business street in city; centrally situated; very cheap rent; with rooms above; parties leaving city. Call at 707, this office. s4

FOR SALE.—Bakery, confectionery and ice cream saloon in Montgomery City, Mo., is doing a good paying business; can be had with house and lot; to a cash customer a low price will be made. For particulars inquire at Blanke & Brother Candy Company, 619 Market street. s4

FOR SALE—At a bargain, the well-known saloon, Arthur's Turf Exchange, 111 N. 6th st.; finest place in the city for beer garden. Apply on premises at once. s4

FOR SALE—Hotel with 75 regular boarders; good lease; cheap rent; situated in center of city on corner; will bear a close investigation. Address D 3, this office. m4

FOR SALE—Small hotel well furnished. On good corner, good lease, cheap rent, profit good, parties going on a farm. Address C 50, this office. s4

FOR SALE—A good paying meat and vegetable market in a first-class locality; low price; reason for selling, other business. Ad. Z 8, this office. s4

FOR SALE OR RENT—Hotel with twenty-five rooms, furnished; good business. Dr. McElriney, St. Louis, Mo. s4

LAST chance; cabinet photographs $1 50 per dozen. 415 Franklin av. Open Sunday. s4

PROPERTY OUT OF CITY FOR SALE

FOR SALE—Or exchange: 440 acres of good land, in Ross County, Ark.; half-mile from railroad. Richard, 614 Pine st. m6

FOR SALE—440 acres of good unimproved farming land, in Marion County, Mo., cheap for cash. For particulars apply to John R. O'Neill, s. e. cor. 7. 9th and Olive, room 11.

FOR SALE—Valuable iron land in Missouri. For particulars address C 66, this office. s4

FOR SALE—MISCELLANEOUS.

ANY party wanting rooms or suite of rooms, furnished, part time, will do well by addressing E 26, this office. s5

ASK your grocer for the celebrated "Quaker" brand of jellies and preserves, pure fruit and sugar. Charm Mnfg. Co., 108-109 S. 2d st. 5

ANCIENT COINS—For sale, a small but very choice collection; rare U. S. coins purchased. E 25, this office. 5

ATTENTION CARPENTERS!—New Barus velocipede scroll saw No. 2 for sale; saws 2½-inch thickness, seat and frame ornamental iron; price, $12. 2023 S. Broadway. s5

CHEAPEST clothing in the city. Dunn's loan office, 932 Franklin av.

ANYBODY can do their own painting by getting free instructions and Greenwood's ready-mixed paints, varnishes, brushes, burning and lubricating oils, etc., at 812 Washington av. 75

F. W. BUSSE (new) 1203 Franklin av., sells pictures and looking-glasses on time payments, and frames in good style at low prices. 5

FOR SALE—15 horse-power engine and boiler at a bargain; is to be removed for larger one. 906 Summit av. s5

FOR SALE—Wardrobes from $18 to $25; bed-room sets from $20 to $75; bedsteads from $1 50 to $18; bureaus from $5 50 to $15; washstands from $1 50 to $10 and $12; bed lounges new, $10 and $12; one book-case $13; gilas cupboards $8; kitchen safes very cheap; a few new sideboards at this week's low; a fine lot of center tables from $5 to $10. Of stores I have a great variety; baring stoves from $3 50 up to $15; one Charter Oak stove, with warming oven and reservoir, $15; one No. 9, with reservoir and warming oven, $25; the "Best" range, new, $45. Also, lots of other household goods bought, sold and exchanged; also, goods sold on monthly payments. J. Neuroth, 1700 and 1702 Frank lin av. old number 1060 and 1062. 5

FOR SALE—Fine Webley breech-loading gun at St. Louis Jewelry and Loan Company. 211 N. 6th st., St. Louis. m4

FOR SALE—Two stacks of fine new hay. Apply at P. O. Box 9, Kirkwood, Mo. s5

FOR SALE—400,000 brick, 2,000 openings, 40,000 feet of lumber; 11th and Papin sts. P. W. Hassett. 15

FOR SALE—Fine Brussels carpets, made up, for 75 cents per yard. C. W. Miller, 5

FOR SALE—2,000 yards misfit carpets very cheap. Geo. W. Miller, 806 N. 6th st. 5

FOR SALE—A fine assortment of good second-hand furniture, at lowest cash figures; highest price paid for good, desirable household goods. J. Hardaway, 114 and 116 N. 12th st. 5

FOR SALE—Marble-top bed-room suite for $40, cost $65. Brussels carpets from 25c to 60c per yard; large stock second-hand stoves and furniture very cheap. Highest cash price for second-hand household goods. Moss mattresses renovated for $1 50. H. Walker, 206 N. Twelfth st., bet. Pine and Olive. 5

FOR SALE—Wall paper, 3,000 rolls at from 5c to 10c; worth twice the money. People's Furniture Store, 210 and 212 N. 7th st. E. A. Skeele, manager.

FOR SALE—Two Westminster hard coal stoves, in good condition, for $12. Apply to H. 5

FOR SALE—Judgment for $5 and costs against A. McCabe, employed at 401 N. 2d st., residing on Clark av., near Grone's brewery; will sell for costs. Ap. at 207 Center st. s5

FOR SALE—Handsome wood stove, in first-class condition; or would exchange for baseburner. Call Monday at 1023 Beaumont. 5

FOR trunks, mirrors, wringers and fluters go to Dunn's loan office, 932 Franklin av. 5

FOR SALE—Large sized hard coal stove, in perfect order. 3647 Finney av. s5

FOR SALE—A new combination safe, cost $80; will take $50. Apply at room 7, 514 Pine st. w5

FOR SALE—Three trios light brahmas, pure breed. D 27, this office. s5

FOR SALE—Birdseye view of Aberdeen, fastest growing city in Dakota. 3 5c. Hagerty & Marple, Aberdeen, Dakota. s5

FOR SALE—Kemp's manure spreader, which will do the labor of ten men. A. Ad. for illustrated catalogue. Kemp & Burper Mnfg Co., Syracuse, N. Y. s5

FOR SALE—One 7x10 stationary engine; one S. H. 12 horse-power boiler. Call at 2311-2313 S. 7th st. 5

FOR SALE—One 14x24, one 10x20, one 8x16 and one 6x12-inch pulleys, one 7-inch ridge wheel, two pairs of 4-feet and four pairs of 4¾-foot millstones, with all irons complete, one 500 bushel power corn sheller, one 6 feet by 18-inch face, and one 6 feet by 14-inch band wheel, one 14-foot segment fly-wheel, 5,500 pounds. Apply to T. G. HALTEMAN & CO., Nos. 1611 and 1613 S. 3d st.

FOR SALE—500 doors and windows, 14,000 feet of joists, 10,000 feet of flooring. 9th and Cerre sts. F. W. Hassett. 5

FOR SALE—One mill-stone derrick, complete. One Stuyvesant Blower. Both in good order. Eureka Vinegar Co., 112 N. 3d st. 5

FURNITURE, stoves and household goods, new or second-hand, on monthly payments. J. Neuroth, 1700 and 1702 Franklin av., old numbers 1060 and 1062.

FOR SALE—Latest styles of bed-room sets, one at $59, another at $48; washstands with mirrors attached; sideboards for $15 and up; kitchen cupboards $8 and $9; safes, new and second-hand; single dressers and bureaus from $5 to $15, $18 and $20; extension tables, new, $12, $13 and $22; nice marble-top washstands from $5 to $8 and $10; all kinds of bed prices from $1 50 to $15; new sofa lounges at seven prices from $10 to $25; also stoves from $3 to $15. Any one wanting bargains can secure them now, as I must reduce my stock. Lamps very nice at 25c.; the very best at $1 50; crockery ware, etc., at cheap prices. Call early on Monday. 1209 Franklin av., old number; new number, 1309 Franklin av. s5

FOR SALE—Cheap; several bread showcases and one new combination safe; will be sold. Apply to L. Mohr, cor. Chouteau av. and 15th st. 5

FOR SALE—Cheap, a scholarship in a first-class Commercial school, of this city. D 25, this office. s5

FOR SALE—A No. 1 milch cow; can be seen at No. 3942 Morgan st. Price $50. s5

PARTIES contemplating housekeeping can purchase furniture, stoves, etc., nice; as good as new from a family leaving the city. Address B 19, this office. s5

KENNEDY & LEWIS make best $20 suits and best $5 pants in city. 114 N. 6th st. 5

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Also, a few elegant residence lots on

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Prices of which will be furnished on application at our office.

LANCASTER & TIERNAN, 202 N. Eighth St.

FOR SALE—2942 Chestnut st.; 20 foot front, 9 rooms; square hall 13 feet wide, with fireplace and window; all latest improvements; terms to suit. W. S. Stuyvesant, 308 N. Main st. 7

FOR SALE—Several 2 and 6 room houses in Western part of city on monthly payments. Apply to Jos. E. Truitt, northwest corner 4th and Olive sts., from 10 to 12 a. m. s7

FOR SALE—New stone-front house, 3712 Glasgow av.; nine rooms, hall, gas, bath, marble mantel; fine inside finish; lot 25x128½ feet. Apply at 703 Howard st., or grocery on the corner of Glasgow av. and Montgomery st. s7

FOR SALE—$3,200—At a bargain, beautiful two-story frame residence of eight (8) rooms; fine large hall; sliding doors, connecting parlors; southern exposure, with lot 29x182½ feet; three squares from two lines of street cars, situated on Cook av., No. 4101, two squares west of Vandeveater av. Apply on the premises. m7

FOR SALE—Several choice dwellings, also beautiful building lots. Jas. M. Carpenter & Co., 204 N. 8th st. 7

FOR SALE—A new 7 room brick house; lot 36x150 on northwest corner Goode and Garfield avs.; $500 cash, balance on monthly payments. Apply to Jos. E. Truitt, northwest corner 4th and Olive, from 10 to 12 a. m. s7

SUBURBAN PROPERTY FOR SALE.

FOR SALE—Three-room cottage and two acres of land. Apply at P. O. Box 9, Kirkwood. Mo.

FOR LEASE.

FOR LEASE—Large church building corner 19th and Locust sts.; chained to suit tenant; new and first-class; cheap for cash. Inquire on premises, or Chouteau av. 38

PERSONAL.

Purely "Personal" advertisements are charged for at the rate of ten cents for twenty words. Matter for insertion under this head can be sent through the mails. Have your answers addressed to office check only—which insures your receiving them.

PERSONAL—Ida: See this week's CRITIC; something there that will interest you; don't miss it. Gus.

PERSONAL—Two young gentlemen aged 19 would like to correspond with several lively young girls. Harry STONE and Harry Leonard, Finchneyville, Ill. 81

PERSONAL—A mechanic of 30, steady work and good wages, desires the acquaintance of a good-hearted young lady. Ad. A 46, this office. s1

PERSONAL—Two young gentlemen of good appearance, and teachers of vocal and instrumental music, desire to correspond with two young ladies, soprano and alto singers, with a view to traveling in concert and convention work; those who can play some instrument preferred, but every letter answered. Address Music, box 9, Fulton, Bourbon County, Kan. 13

PERSONAL—Kitty, E. K.: Would like to see you. "Circus." this office. s1

PERSONAL—Gracie STONE: I will be there promptly at 2 o'clock; believe me, my word is worthy of your friendship. Charles. s1

PERSONAL—Spiritualism—A. F. Ackerly, materializing, physical and musical medium, will hold seances at 116 N. 14th st. Sunday, Tuesday and Thursday evenings; all in the light; no dark cabinet; 8 o'clock sharp. s1

PERSONAL—Ida: See this week's CRITIC; something there that will interest you; don't miss it. Gus.

PERSONAL—Will lady who noticed gent in buggy on 6th and Franklin av. on Friday, 7th, please send her address, if agreeable, to E. K. 25, this office. m1

PERSONAL—A gentleman of education and refinement wishes to make the acquaintance of a young lady of same qualities, from 16 to 20. Ad. X 17, this office. s1

PERSONAL—A lady aged 31, of refinement and respectability, wins pleasant home, would like a gentleman aged 40, of good business standing, liberal-hearted, desirous of a pleasant, cosy, comfortable home; everything congenial to his wishes, to occupy room and board. Ad. E 6, this office. 5

PERSONAL—Pink: You are a daisy; am awfully glad you didn't disappoint me Sunday. Whose the Ice Blue. s1

PERSONAL—Widow of 23, stranger in city, would like the acquaintance of an elderly gent. W 29, this office. s1

PERSON AL—Dearest M: Important that I should see you to-night; come to old place between 7:30 and 8; didn't like new place last night and might before; be sure to come; don't forget. Fugitive from Justice. s1

PERSONAL—C. L. H.: I am living in North St. Louis; saw your personal; would like to see you; make appointment through Post-Dispatch. A. B.

PERSONAL—A gentleman fond of theaters and amusements would like to hear from two ladies similarly inclined. Address E 38, this office. m1

PERSONAL—Rosebud: Would be most happy to see you at 707 at 4 o'clock Monday for a few moments' chat. Friend. s1

PERSONAL—$5.00 reward will be paid for return of diamond pin and finger ring, taken from 109 N. 8th st., Saturday night, September 1. s1

PERSONAL—A good-looking and refined young gentleman would like to correspond with a young lady about 18. Ad. Dick Graham, care West St. Louis Post Office. s1

PERSONAL—Roe: Call immediately; last place; all quiet. s1

PERSONAL—Two widow ladies would like the acquaintance of a middle-aged gentleman; none but an honorable gentleman need answer. E 37, this office. s1

PERSONAL—If you want a good smoke try "Doc" Harkins' Bahama 5c and Opera House 10c cigars. 812 Olive st. s1

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MUSICAL.

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A SOPRANO, with well cultivated voice, desires a position in a Protestant church choir. Address E 21, this office. s27

BANJO! BANJO!! BANJO!!!—Thoroughly and quickly taught by Partee Brothers, professional banjoists, late of New York. Leave orders with F. H. Wood, 517 Olive st. s27

BEST bargains for pianos in the city at Brauckmann & Heckelsauer's agents for the Krakauer Bros'. pianos, 2821 Easton av. s27

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1 good second-hand piano, $75.
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BOLLMAN BROS.,
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HIGHEST cash prices paid for good second-hand pianos. Bollman Bros., 1104 and 1106 Olive st. s27

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PIANOS TUNED.—William Oscar Brauckmann, the piano tuner and repairer. Office at Brauckmann & Heckelsauer's, dealers in pianos, organs and other musical instruments, 2821 Easton av. Call or send postal. s27

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ARE rapidly becoming the leading pianos. H. Koerber, 1103 Olive st., agent. 27

WM. STEINKUEHLER, Teacher of the Violin. Terms moderate. Music-rooms, 1309 Franklin av., old No. 1309. s27

WANTED—To buy for cash, second-hand pianos and organs. Old No. 1619 Franklin av., new No. 1517½. 27

BOOKS.

ASK your grocer for Fruit Butters put up by Charm Manufacturing Company, 106 and 108 S. 2d st. 28

DO not forget that all kinds of new books are sold at half price at Archer's, 310 Pine st.

OLD and new books bought, sold and exchanged; cash paid for all kinds of books. 709 N. 6th st. 28

WANTED—5,000 standard old books. Drop note to Dan Linahan, bookseller, 4th and Washington av.

EDUCATIONAL.

CENTRAL BOOK-KEEPING ACADEMY.

Day and evening session of this school opens August 27. Pupils instructed in Book-keeping, Arithmetic, Algebra, Geometry, Trigonometry, Penmanship, Grammar, etc., etc. The advantages offered by this academy for obtaining a practical business education is unexcelled by any school in the West. Send for circulars. L. Teames, Principal, 619 Chestnut st.

ST. LOUIS Type SHORTHAND INSTITUTE. Writing.
106 Olive. ARTHUR J. BARNES, Law Stenographer.

JONES'
COMMERCIAL COLLEGE
209 and 211 North Fifth street. Established 43 years. The oldest and most successful school of its kind in the West. For circular call at the office or address
J. G. ROHMER, Principal.

Evening Sessions

ST. LOUIS MERCANTILE COLLEGE,
Cor. Washington Ave. and Fourth Street.
Young and middle-aged men spend your evenings profitably by training in actual business—book-keeping, Penmanship, etc. To learn our moderate terms call at the College Office.

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F. G. YOUDT, inventor and publisher of the latest patented cutting system for ladies' and children's garments; can be learned in from three to four hours; price $6; satisfaction guaranteed; lessons from 9 o'f2 a. m. and 2 to 6 p. m. 3018 Salena st., cor. Arsenal st. 29

WANTED—Short-hand pupils; thorough instruction by mail. Send stamp for circulars and specimen of writing. William Hulton, stenographer, Pittsburg, Penn. 29

MINNA F. SCOTT'S select school and kindergarten, 2906 Olive street, reopens Monday September 10. s29

USE the "Golden Rule" Baking Powder, absolutely pure cream of tartar and soda, containing no ammonia, no injurious acids. Manufactured by Charm Manufacturing Company, 106 and 108 S. 2d st., St. Louis. 29

HENDERSON'S BOOK-KEEPING AND BUSINESS COLLEGE—2015 Olive st.—Evening session commences second Monday in September; full commercial course, $35, or book-keeping alone, $10, $20 or $30. Call or ad. F. Henderson. s29

Machine for Shorthand Writing. STENOGRAPH. Has all the advantages of the best systems and can be learned in 1/3 time. Open day and evening. Trial week free. The Stenograph Company, 420 N. 3d st.

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CHESTER, 22d year opens Sept. 12. Buildings new. Superior appointments. Civil Engineering. Chemical, Collegiate, English Courses. Degrees conferred. Circulars of Thomas H. Larkin, Jr., C. E., No. 218 Myrtle st., or of COL. THEO. HYATT, President.

MARY Wood's shorthand and type-writing Institute, 618 Olive street, Open day and evening. Established 1878. Students assisted to positions. 27

LOST AND FOUND.

$5 REWARD—Lost or stolen—Coach dog. Finder will receive above reward by returning to 719 Morgan st. s30

$25 REWARD will be paid for the return of the gold watch only stolen from party at the Occidental Hotel on the night of August 31, and no questions asked. Add. D 15, this office. s29

GET the best ready-raising Buckwheat and Flour put up by Charm Manufacturing Company, 106 and 108 S. 2d st. 30

LOST—A cross of honor, belonging to St. Malachy School. Please return to the school or at 2234 Olive st. s30

LOST—Last chance; cabinet photographs $1 50 per dozen. 415 Franklin av. Open Sunday. s30

LOST—Market st. line, car 41, on Thur day evening, book entitled "Mrs. Perkins's Daughter," the property of the Mercantile Library. The finder will oblige by leaving at this office. s29

LOST—Bunch of 12 to 12 keys, between 9th and Olive and 5th and Pine sts.; anyone finding such please leave with elevator boy, 417 Pine st., and receive compensation. s30

LOST—Black and white bull-dog; answers to Jack. Return to People's Theater, 6th and Walnut and get reward. s30

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Our number has been changed from 1406 to 1406. Call and be convinced that we are doing as good work as any in the city.
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A T. J. Seibert's new gallery you can get first-class photographs at $3 per dozen. 718 Olive st. 32

ALL cast-off clothing bought and sold by Joseph Isler, 707 N. 9th st. Call or write. 32

ARSENAL LAUNDRY, 720 S. 4th st., calls for and delivers free; low prices and prompt attention to all orders. Bernard McKenna, proprietor. 32

A THOUSAND Business Cards for $1. HOWARD SCOTT, Printer, 1837 Franklin av.

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Beecher Furnace Is the best. F. M. Campbell & Co., 1118 & 1120 Washington av

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WM. N. TIVY,
424 N. Second St.

CAPTAIN—Sole survivor of the Gunnison massacre, lectures this evening at Turner's Hall, 10th and Market streets. Subject: "Ten Years Amongst the Hostiles," at 8 p. m. s32

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ETRIS, Dealer in Comic Prints, Notions, etc. Peddlers' outfits a specialty. 700 Market st., Room 1, 3d floor. 32

HOME DECORATION—Illustrated pamphlet, mailed for six cents. Address Rena Pitman Pitman School of Design, Cincinnati. w32

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fresh stock, just received. March & Adams, grocers, 719 Olive st. 32

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ST LOUIS, JULY 17, 1883.—This is to give notice that I will not pay any bills or debts after this date, unless contracted by myself personally.
JOS. T. JAMES.
32

OSTRICH FEATHERS bleached and dyed; all work guaranteed and at lowest rates. Chas. Sartorius, 1312 Chestnut st. s32

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READ this week's CRITIC. Rich and racy. 30

TRY Bliss' Cockroach Exterminator. Testimonials from Dozier-Weyl Cracker Company, Southern Hotel, Drummond Tobacco Company, Grand Pacific Hotel, Chas. F. Schneider and many others. Call and read them. Exterminator for bed-bugs, fleas, flies and other insects. Frank Bliss, 403 Walnut st., Temple Building; P. B. Jacoby, 715 Olive st., Jos. Luecke, Grand and Lindell avs.; F. Mysing & Sons, 2601 Lucas av. m32

Shaped Novelties,
for advertising and decorating purposes. Only jobbing house in St. Louis. New designs added daily. John J. Gruner, 717 Olive st., room 2. 27

WANTED—Everybody to know that they can see first-class photographs, at reasonable prices, in all kinds of weather, at R. F. Adams' gallery, 219 N. 4th st., by the new rapid process.

"QUAKER" BRAND Preserves and Jellies, pure fruit and sugar, equal to best imported goods. Charm Mfg. Co., 106 and 108 S. 2d st. 32

POSITIVELY one-half saved on frames, pictures, mirrors, etc. American Art Co., 8th and Pine sts.

PARROTS, singing birds, pet animals, gold fish, bird cages, bird seed, mocking-bird food, etc. A. Bohne, 825 Olive st.

SITUATIONS WANTED—MALE.

Situations Wanted, Male and Female, and Help Wanted, Male and Female, not exceeding three lines, are inserted free

Book-keepers.

WANTED—By an expert book-keeper, books to write and balance up. Ad. H., Post Office box 2,516. s30

A YOUNG gentleman wants employment in the evening as book-keeper and correspondent; best of refs. E 19, this office. m30

WANTED—A set of books to write up or post, having a few leisure hours each day; would make terms satisfactory; would also instruct business men by an original method in keeping a double entry set of books. Ad. E 29, this office. m30

WANTED—By an experienced book-keeper, years in present employ, a position in some good house, or will take charge of two sets of books to write up, trial, etc., for reasonable compensation. Cause of making change, employers retiring from business. E. 30, this office. s28

Clerks and Salesmen.

WANTED—Situation by a young man in a wholesale house; best of references given. Ad. W. S., this office. s27

WANTED—Situation in a drugstore; nine years, experience; good references. Drugs, Fifth and Olive st. 627

WANTED—Traveling salesman of five years' experience and good trade in Texas, wants wholesale grocery house, also whiskys to handle, either on salary or commission; can give the best of references Add. R. A. Lancaster, lock box 22, San Marcus, Texas.

WANTED—Young man wishes situation as clerk in grocery, wholesale or retail; can give first-class ref. D 35, this office. m27

WANTED—Two first-class traveling salesmen, acquainted with piano and organ trade; refs. D 36, this office. s27

WANTED—By a young German, situation in wholesale grocery or dry goods house, has had experience as a shipping and entry clerk; is rapid, with first-class abilities and understands book-keeping. Address C, care of Henderson's Book-keeping and Business College. s27

WANTED—Experienced gents' furnishing goods salesman would like a situation. D 48, this office. s27

WANTED—Salesmen to carry our line of Jeans, Flannels, etc., on commission, in connection with their present line. Address Manufacturers, M. Cresswell & Co., Philadelphia. 27

EXPERIENCED salesman wants position in stationery or printing house. E 12, this office. m27

WANTED—By one who is single, sober and thoroughly in earnest an under-clerkship or porter's place, where merit for close application will be rewarded by advancement. Address E 34, this office.

WANTED—Situation by an experienced accountant and correspondent at moderate salary; ref. first-class. Ad. E 46, this office. m27

WANTED—Position in boot and shoes by a man acquainted with Western and Southern trade; ref. Ad. E 41, this office. m27

A N experienced commercial traveler (groceries), wants position in some office; first-class ref. fur. Ad. E 31, this office.

WANTED—Young man who has had considerable business experience, desires a good permanent situation; has frequently had complete charge of a large business when proprietor was absent in the East; understands book keeping pretty well although he has never kept a regular set of books. Ad. E 39, this office. 27

The Trades.

WANTED—Young man wishes a position as miller or in the grain business; six years' experience; best of ref. Ad. D 23, this office. s28

WANTED—Practical painter wants work of any kind. Ad. D 22, this office. s28

WANTED—Situation by a licensed engineer. Add. 224 S. 14th st. s28

WANTED—To Merchant Millers: A No. 1 miller and buhr dresser desires a steady job. Address E. Hall, box 167, Sullivan, Ill. s28

WANTED—By a young man of 19 a situation to drive a delivery wagon; had two years' experience; best ref. Address E 18, this office. m28

WANTED—Situation by a licensed engineer; can run any kind of machinery. E 28, this office. m28

WANTED—Young man wishes situation as miller, or in the grain business; six years' experience; good reference. E 48, this office, m33

Coachmen and Drivers.

WANTED—Situation as coachman; good ref. Apply 910 Market st. s29

WANTED—Situation by a single man; thoroughly understands the care of horses; can milk and tend to green-house; city ref. M. S., 1191 Compton av.

WANTED—By a German, situation as coachman with good references. Address E. S., 2038 O'Fallon st., city. s29

SITUATIONS WANTED—MALE.

Cooks.

"EMPIRE BRAND" jellies, preserves and fruit butters used in thousands of families. Charm Manufacturing Co., 106 and 108 S. 2d st. 40

WANTED—German cook, male, wishes a situation in some hotel or restaurant. Call at 1315 S. Broadway. m30

WANTED—Situation as cook by a colored man. 604 S. 8th st. m30

Stenographers.

WANTED—Copying to take home; type-writer expert; work will be done neatly and cheaply. Ad. T 36, this office. 41

WANTED—An experienced shorthand and type-writer desires night work; terms low. E 34, this office. m41

STENOGRAPHER, owning a No. 4 Type-writer, wishes a position as correspondent. E 44, this office. m41

Boys.

LAST chance: cabinet photographs $1 50 per dozen. 415 Franklin av. Open Sunday. s42

WANTED—Situation by a willing and industrious boy of any kind; age 15 years. L 30, this office.

WANTED—Situation by a boy of 16 in some railroad office or business house. D 32, this office.

WANTED—By youth of 18 in some office, commission house or railroad office preferred; good penman; reference if required. Address D 50, this office. s47

WANTED—Situation by a willing and industrious boy in some wholesale house. F 3, this office.

Miscellaneous

CONTRACTORS, railroads, manufacturers, car pen ers and builders, farmers and any trade or calling requiring skilled or unskilled help should communicate with the National Labor Agency, 213 Market st., where their wants will be filled free. 43

WANTED—Young man wishes employment during afternoon and evening; can cook, carve and wait on table. E 43, this office. m13

WANTED—By an experienced tenor singer, fine, strong voice, an engagement in city choir. Ad. D 13, this office. s43

WANTED—By young man of 18, place in some business house; can write and figure; best of ref.; wages, $25 per month. D 11, this office. s43

WANTED—Young man wants situation of any kind; good ref. D 18, this office. s43

WANTED—By an elderly man to care for an invalid gentleman and make himself useful about the house. A 38, this office. s30

WANTED—Gentleman having had twenty years' experience is open for an engagement with a good commercial house; best references. E 7, this office. m43

WANTED—Young man with some experience wants situation in drug store, no objection to country. E 5, this office. m43

WANTED—By married man, any kind of employment; used to all kinds of work; handy with carpenter's tools; good city reference. Ap. at 906 Pine st. m43

WANTED—Situation to do chores in private family by colored man. E 76, this office. m43

WANTED—Employment by Englishman; would make himself generally useful in stores, offices, etc. L. E., 1524 N. 9th st. s43

WANTED—Situation by a young man to do any kind of work; can furnish the best of references. Address C 40, this office. s43

WANTED—Situation, by middle-aged man of family, at moderate salary; will make himself useful in any line. N 61, this office. 43

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WANTED—Young drug clerk in a lively country town; must be sober and industrious. Ad. E 2, this office. m31

Coachmen and Drivers.

LAST chance; cabinet photographs $1 50 per dozen. 415 Franklin av. Open Sunday. s55

WANTED—Man to take care of horse and wagon and deliver spring beds; reference required. Chas. Buisley, 1125 Olive st. s36

Cooks.

WANTED—Man, white or colored, as cook in hotel; 1400 Broadway. 736

WANTED—A good cook. Apply at 620 Locust street. 736

WANTED—Cook at 504 Market st. m36

Waiters.

LAST chance; cabinet photographs $1 50 per dozen. 415 Franklin av. Open Sunday. s37

THERE will be a regular meeting of the Waiters' Aid Association on Saturday evening, September 8, at corner of 4th and Archer Building, 519 and 521 Chestnut st. All waiters who take an interest in the success of the association are invited to attend.
By order of the President,
J. V. BERKSHIRE, Cor. Sec'y.
s37

The Trades.

LAST chance; cabinet photographs $1 50 per dozen. 415 Franklin av. Open Sunday. s38

WANTED—First-class tailor to make coats and small jobs; first-class prices. Ad. A. J. Dresler, Richmond, Mo. 38

WANTED—Two good galvanized iron cornice workers; work immediately. Ap. to Burce & Kinney, North Springfield, Mo. 38

WANTED—Ten bridge carpenters; apply immediately. H. S. Hopkins & Co., 118 N. 4th st. s38

WANTED—Good gas fitter. Apply 826 N. 18th st. s38

WANTED—2 framers. Corner of Cook and Vandeventer ave. s38

WANTED—Two first-class shoemakers; will pay $3 75 for boots and $3 25 for shoes. steady work Apply at once to L. Reich, Sprucenold, Mo.

WANTED—First-class pieces plain and fancy joiner immediately at C. A. Baxter & Co., 821 N. fourth st. 38

WANTED—A carber for a second hand. 2111 Clark av. s38

WANTED—Four tinners. Apply at once at 3435 Olive st.; steady work. m35

WANTED—Two good barbers. 1003 Broadway. m38

WANTED—Immediately, one good compositor at the Baptist Flag office, 206 N. 8th st. m38

WANTED—Competent carpet sewers; none but experienced hands need apply. State experience and where last employed. E. 22, this office. m35

WANTED—Competent carpet fitter; one who understands all classes of work and can measure and cut. State where last employed and wages expected; a steady job for a good man; no drunkard need apply. E. 25, this office. m35

Laborers.

500 RAILROAD laborers for the Leadville extension Union Pacific in Colorado; $2 50 to $2 25 per day; cheap fare. Job for the United States Government, $1 per day and board, rain or shine. Wm. A. Mard, 316 N. 6th st., or 317 Market st. s39

WANTED—Teams and men at Jefferson av. and Engenia st.; teams $4 per day, men $1 75 per day. Callahan & Grinfield, m39

WANTED—Teams on 5th and Poplar sts., 45c per load. John A. Lynch. 738

WANTED—100 laborers for Chicago and Alton railroad near Kansas City; good pay and steady work; free transportation. Also 2,000 woodchoppers for I. M. R. R., pay $1 25 per cord; Investor at our office will ship to-night; free transportation. National Labor Agency, 213 Market st. s39

MORLEY sun on the boom; over 1,000 building lots already given away. A meeting will be held at 7 p. m. Tuesday, 11th inst. at 2847 Chouteau av., for the purpose of completing organization of Building Association in connection with it. We earnestly hope every lot owner will attend, and also every other person who can make it convenient to favor us with their presence.
WM. MORLEY,
307 Pine st., room 9.
s39

Boys.

WANTED—Boy who has had some experience in clothing. Inquire 12 S. 4th st. s61

WANTED—Errand boy, at 808 N. 4th st. s61

WANTED—Boys to run small presses. Call at once to J. Escholbach & Co., 1007 Locust st. s61

WANTED—Colored boy, experienced in house and yard work. Call to-morrow, with reference, at 2201 Park av. s61

WANTED—Boy with some experience in drug store. E 17, this office. m34

WANTED—Billiard boy. Mercantile Club, 708 Locust st. m61

WANTED—Young man to attend yard. Ap. at 4012 Washington av. m61

WANTED—Press boy. C. Lang, 1414 N. 12th, 3d floor. m31

Miscellaneous.

LAST chance; cabinet photographs $1 50 per dozen. 415 Franklin av. Open Sunday. s62

WANTED—Feeders for small presses, at 112 Olive st. m62

WANTED—A man who understands blacking work on small place. Inquire at Rinkelville P. O.; take Franklin avenue cars to Rinkelville; apply Monday. 62

WANTED—Cylinder press feeder, Christian Publishing Company, 915 Pine st. s62

WANTED—First-class blank book Rubber. Apply immediately to J. E. Lawton & Co., 115 N. 3d st. s62

HELP WANTED—MALE.

Miscellaneous.

WANTAD—Bright young man to learn drug business. Call at room No. 3, S. Lillenfeld, 804 Olive st. m62

WANTED—Two young men for a hotel at Muskogee, I. T.; fare paid. Apply to porter Hotel Barnum, m62

WANTED—Immediately, an experienced bunple wrapper; good references required. Joel Swope & Bro., 311 S. 4th st. m62

WANTED—Ten first-class colored waiters at the Laclede Hotel immediately; wages $25 per month. s62

WANTED—At 914 Locust st., man or woman to do over mattress at once. s62

WANTED—Competent and experienced male nurse. Apply immediately at the Sisters' Hospital, Grand av. and Montgomery st. s62

WANTED—Good solicitor for job printing at 212 N. 6th st., second floor. s62

WANTED—An elderly business man of good habits to attend to an oyster stand in a market; one willing to work for small pay, not being dependent on a salary for his living. What I want is a good man to take chance for better. D 36, this office. s62

WANTED—Assistant or student in the photograph business at 716 Olive st. 62

SITUATIONS WANTED—FEMALE.

Teachers, Companions, Etc.

WANTED—Young lady desires to obtain the position of governess to teach music, drawing, French and English; best references given. D 26, this office. s77

Clerks and Saleswomen.

WANTED—Young lady with experience and ref. desires a position as salesgirl in dry goods or confectionery. D 14, this office. s64

WANTED—Young girl wants a place as saleslady, or tending in store. Call or address M. O., Sarpiene, north side. m14

Stenographers.

WANTED—Experienced girl wants circulars to address at 75c per M; can direct 1,500 daily. Address S 45, this office. s45

WANTED—The old reliable "Charm" Baking Powder in daily use by thousands of families throughout the land. Manufactured at 106 and 108 S. 2d st., St. Louis. 45

WANTED—By young married lady copying to do at home or in office. Address Neil, this office.

Dressmakers and Seamstresses.

WANTED—Competent seamstress wishes a permanent situation; understands dress-making; can cut and fit and is willing to do light work, as care for children; good ref. Address 1602 Chestnut st. m46

WANTED—Middle-aged widow wants to get work as seamstress and dress-maker in family or at stores. Address E 20, this office. m46

WANTED—Situation by a young lady on fine custom coats and vests; also a button-hole maker; would like to work with a tailor. Address K 5, this office. m46

WANTED—Young lady, experienced hand at knitting and crocheting, wants fancy or plain work to do at home. Address A 28, this office. m46

Housekeepers.

WANTED—Good, decent housekeeper, one who wants a permanent home, to do general housework for an old invalid gentleman. 2951 Cass av. s47

WANTED—Situation by middle-aged lady as working housekeeper or cook; no washing or ironing; good wages required; only first-class need apply. 1410 State st., city. 47

WANTED—A working housekeeper, by a widower with children. F 9, this office. m47

General Housework.

WANTED—Young girl wishes a place for housework and nursing or dining-room work. 919 N. 14th st. s48

WANTED—Good German girl wants a place at light housework or nurse; age 18. Call or address R. cor. Cabanne av. and Manchester road, Rock Springs. m48

WANTED—A situation to do general housework in a small family; no postal answered. 3205 Lacleda av. m48

Cooks.

WANTED—Situation as cook in a small family, or to take care of an invalid; by a middle-aged lady without any incumbrance; no objections to go a little way in country. 1416 Job st. s49

WANTED—Situation by first-class cook, washer and ironer in private family. Apply 815 N. 6th st. s49

WANTED—Situation by two experienced girls as cook and housegirl; both assist in washing and ironing; references given if required. Can be seen at Franciscan Convent, 4th and O'Fallon sts. s49

WANTED—By a middle-aged lady a situation to cook wash and iron. Address 815 N. sixth st. m49

Nurses.

WANTED—Situation as nurse girl. Add 2109 Biddle st. s50

WANTED—A good colored girl wants a place as nurse; age 18. Call or ad., Eveline, Cabanne av., west of Manchester road. m50

Laundresses.

WANTED—By a colored lady washing to take home. Apply at 2109 Wash st., in the rear, s51

WANTED—By a colored lady washing and ironing to take home to do. Mrs. Hall, Stewart av., Rock Springs. m51

Miscellaneous.

WANTED—Good office clerk, lady or gentleman; one who has had experience as telegraph operator; $65 per month. Add., with refs., E 27, this office.

WANTED—Position as governess by young lady; competent to teach English branches, music, drawing and painting; best of references; Catholic family preferred. E 11, this office. m52

WANTED—Young girl age 17, would like to live as one of the family and make herself useful. Ad. E 4, this office. s51

WANTED—City and country fur, with servants for all kinds of work, and good girls with work without charge. 919 N. 14th st.; lodging 15 cents per night. s52

WANTED—By a young lady situation as companion to invalid lady; reference given. Address E 15, this office. m52

WANTED—Good home by a girl in a respectable family; no wages; object home. Ad. Neurman's, 603 Market st. s52

WANTED—A janitrix of several years' experience wishes a situation; very best references. Add D 19, this office. s52

WANTED—Young lady of good education wishes to obtain a place as reader to some lady; can give the best references. Add D 29, this office. s52

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Cooks, Etc.

WANTED—Cook and for housework; small family in Standard Addition. Apply 2 N. Sixth st. s66

WANTED—Good German girl to cook at 1119 Paul st., between Chouteau av. and Hickory st. s66

WANTED—First-class cook for a private boarding-house; reference required. 2529 Olive st. s66

WANTED—A female cook and a dish washer. 715 N. 6th st. s66

WANTED—Cook and house girl; liberal wages 2103 Clark av. m66

Dressmakers and Seamstresses.

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WANTED—Machine operators and hand-sewers to finish pants. Apply Monday morning at 1237 Morgan st. m69

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WANTED—One or two apprentices in the millinery and dress-making business. Apply to Mrs. L. Lohm-in, No. 2217 Franklin av., St. Louis, Mo. s66

WANTED—A girl to sew on custom pants. 2813 S. 7th st. s69

WANTED—Good dress-maker that can cut and fit, and work on woolen work. Apply at 827 Morgan st. s69

WANTED—Girl who understands the Domestic machine perfectly, for dress-making. 1701 Chouteau av. s69

WANTED—Girl to learn dress-making at 712 N. 15th st. s69

WANTED—Operator on domestic machine; also small girl. 1813 Lucas av. s66

WANTED—Woman to quilt a quilt and do plain sewing. 914 Locust st. s69

WANTED—Girl to learn dressmaking and cutting at 1220 Lux st. 67

Nurses.

WANTED—Girl from 13 to 16, to help take care of baby and do housework. 350 N. 7th st., up stairs. m70

WANTED—Nurse to care for two children. 7 and 9 years old. Call at 417 Summit av. m70

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WANTED—A solicitors for beautiful work with beautiful sample cases furnished. Either male or female agents. 2705 Clark av. 173

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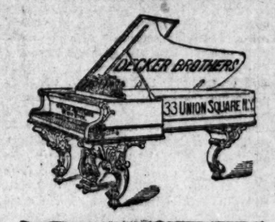

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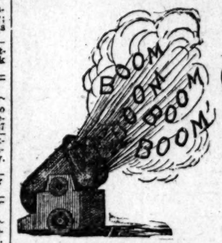

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How a Norwich Lady Captured and Cares for Two Pairs.

From the Norwich Bulletin.

Mrs. C. M. Russell of the Huntington Memorial Home for Old Ladies, on Washington street, has two pairs of young hummingbirds in captivity, so tame that a stranger can handle the cage without disturbing them in the least. While the cage is being handled they fly about with a buzzing noise, alternately alighting in the ring of the cage or upon the roost, uttering a faint "tweet" while on the wing. Although never seen to alight and feed in freedom, they often perch upon the edge of a small cup in the cage and sip a syrup of sugar and water prepared by Mrs. Russell, who also keeps a bouquet of bright flowers in the cage.

These tiny gorgeously plumaged birds, not much larger than grasshoppers, make no attempt now to escape, but will perch upon the head of Mrs. Russell and take syrup from the cup while she holds it. The bill, wings and tail are black, the back from the neck to the tail a rich metallic green, and the throat white with reddish spots just beneath the bill. Beneath, the birds are white, the color deepening to a reddish tint toward the wings. There is a white spot back of each eye, and the tail banded with white at the tip. They enjoy bright sunshine and show every sign of contentment as they sit upon the perch pluming their wing feathers, cresting the feathers on their heads and spreading their tails.

The first bird flew into Mrs. Russell's room some two weeks ago. She caught it and kept it for several hours. It flew about the room and allowed itself to be handled when tired. In brushing along the ceiling whitened the feathers upon its head, so let it go towards evening and two days afterwards it returned again, and was determined by the mark upon its head. She put it in a cage and by it captured four others, among them a ruby-throated humming bird which afterwards escaped. A leading ornithologist believes the bird in captivity to be the young of the ruby-throated humming-bird.

Mrs. Russell has a taste for natural history studies, and is an enthusiastic admirer of handsomely plumaged butterflies and birds. In the cages we noticed little nests skillfully made of cotton and covered with lichens, which were such good imitations of bird-work that they might deceive the birds themselves, and we were surprised to learn that the lady made them herself. These birds make seventeen of the humming-bird family Mrs. Russell has had in captivity. She succeeded in keeping one for three months, and then fearing lest the bird might suffer for want of proper food she chloroformed it and sent it to the taxidermist, who pronounced it the fattest humming-bird he ever saw. Being unable to supply the birds with insects she makes beef tea by soaking raw meat in water, and feeds it to them sparingly. The birds seem to relish the liquor. Mrs. Russell intends to winter a pair of these birds, if possible. It is a rare sight to see these little beauties living contentedly in cages.

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HOTEL ARRIVALS.

J. D. Jones, Omaha, is at the Laclede.

Sam Johnson, England, is at the Lindell.

A. M. Wills, Quincy, Ill., is at the Laclede.

J. E. French, Cleveland, is at the Southern.

S. P. Kennedy, Louisville, is at the Planter's.

V. Ryan, Paris, Texas, is at the Laclede.

Dr. Nicolay will occupy his pulpit, 10th inst. Sunday-school at 9:30. Stewart, New York, is at the Lindell.

R. Farran, London, England, is at the Lindell.

H. P. Caldwell, Philadelphia, is at the Southern.

John W. F. Ehlers, New York, is at the Planters'.

N. G. Clarke, Fort Collins, Col., is at the Laclede to-day.

J. M. Bois and M. L. Bois, New York, are Fare 10c each way; for the round trip 20c. Round at the Southern.

Mrs. S. H. Williams and Miss J. V. Field, New Orleans, are at the Planters'.

Capt. G. J. Bradfield, editor Pythian Advocate, Lebanon, Mo., is at Hotel Hunt.

Jos. P. Horner and wife, and the Misses Horner, New Orleans, are at the Southern.

Alfred Hart, Mrs. H. Cohen, Mrs. L. Newman and Miss A. Jacobowsky, Mississippi, are at the Lindell.

Chas. Spies, the Misses Baker, Misses Dice Hargrave and Jennie Goodman, Alabama, are at the Planters'.

L. N. Kraigen, Chicago; R. B. Morrow, Greenwood, Ark.; T. F. Sullivan, Kansas City; Sam Lynch, Paris, Texas; Joseph Chadbourn, Potosi, Mo.; Moses Long, Canden, Ark., and Wm. Roberts, Boston, are at Barnum's.

J. Evans, Burlington, Iowa; E. B. Burne, Mrs. Mexer and Cyrus E. Cheney, Springfield, Ill.; Judge F. M. Greathouse, Hardin, Mo.; C. L. Kesinger, Lancaster, Ohio; Mrs. H. Pauly and servant, Vincennes, Ind., and W. G. Young, Kelly, New Mexico, are at Hotel Hunt.

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CHAPHE'S COAL.

Startling Testimony Sworn to Before the Committee.

How the City Lost $50,000—A Revelation as to the Water Works Ring—A Test "Fixed" Up by which Somebody Made a Handsome Profit.

The special committee of the House of Delegates, now investigating the management of the Water Works, held a three hours' session yesterday afternoon, at which testimony of a startling and sensational nature was adduced, bearing specially upon the coal contracts of 1872 and Supt. Chaphe's connection therewith. Mr. James Hazard, of Hazard & Wilson, coal dealers, testified that in 1872 his firm was awarded the contract to furnish all coal needed at the Water Works for the year, at 9¾ cents, in the sheds. The board at that time consisted of W. H. Stone, R. M. Renick and Henry T. Flad, now President of the Board of Public Improvements. Mr. Chaphe was at that time connected with the works. He rejected twenty-five carloads of coal furnished by witness on a general ground that it was defective, and his action was sustained by the board. Witness protested against such action, and the board appointed as experts to look into the matter James Collins, Jno. W. Glassford and Joseph Yoke. They made a mechanical test of the rejected coal and also of some of that used the year before, and pronounced the former superior in quality. Not satisfied with that conclusion, a steam test was ordered, and, as witness believes, there were sharp practices in committee with that test, which made his coal appear not only of an inferior nature but absolutely unsatisfactory. Believing that the finding of the committee was in effect a forfeiture of his contract, witness at once ceased to deliver coal at the Water Works, until notified by the board that they desired 50,000 bushels of coal delivered at once, and the current supply kept up. He then went before the board and stated that under the circumstances he could not supply any more coal to the Water Works. His bondsmen, six in number, were all good. The board declared his contract forfeited, but declined payment of $10,000 due for coal already furnished, until witness commenced preparations for a suit, when the board sent for him and paid the amount, preferring not to go into litigation. There being no contract for coal, the Superintendent was sent into the market, and purchased 2,000 car-loads of coal, or about 70,000 bushels, at 18½ cents on the track from Wm. Harding, who was not at that time, but is now associated with witness in business. The coal furnished under this arrangement was supplied from the same mine that the rejected coal came from, and was identical in quality. Witness said that at a rough estimate the forfeiture of his contract that year cost the city about $50,000.

WM. HARDING,

now of the Hazard Coal Company, testified at length, corroborating Mr. Hazard as to the price and quality of the coal furnished by him to the Water Works.

BENJAMIN BADGER,

formerly an engineer at the Water Works, in connection with Gillespie and Grote, who are still there, told the story of the remarkable test of the steam making qualities of the Hazard and Donk coals. The committee of experts were to determine the relative merits of each, by an inspection of the steam gauge, the indicator showing the speed of the engines, and also to take into consideration the water consumed in raising steam. Witness testified directly, at Chaphe's ordered him and Gillespie, when the Hazard coal was being burned, to let cold water into the boilers so as to makes it appear that it took a great deal of time to raise steam, and also to let the steam out of the boiler, so as to remove the pressure on the gauge. When the Donk coal was being tested they were instructed to let warm water into the boilers, to give the pressure on the steam gauge every benefit, and to advance the indicator, showing the number of revolutions. When witness went to see Gillespie, that person said, "I have rather over-done the thing now, for I have put the indicator so far ahead, that any one can see through the scheme." Witness advised Gillespie to disconnect the indicator for a few minutes and give the engine a chance to catch up, which was done. Under such a "test" the Hazard coal stood no show whatever. This matter was in some shape brought to the attention of the water board, and witness once, at their request, prepared a full written statement of the affair, which he submitted, but has never heard of since.

The investigation will be resumed at 2 o'clock Monday, when perhaps Peele and Gillespie may be heard

TEMPERANCE clergymen, lawyers and ladies, use Hop Bitters, they do not intoxicate.

Opening Exercises Concordia College.

The St. Louis Iron Mountain and Southern Railway, in addition to the regular Carondelet trains leaving Fourth and Chouteau avenue, will run special trains from Union Depot, stopping at Meramec street, between the hours of 6 a. m. and 10 a. m. Sunday, September 9, for this occasion. for the round trip 20c. Round trip tickets will be sold from Fourth and Chouteau avenue only. See time card in morning papers.

OUR NEIGHBORS.

Staunton, Ill.

Correspondence of the Post-Dispatch.

STAUNTON, ILL., September 7.—Mr. Chas. Jagerman was up to Litchfield on business Wednesday.——The City Council met in regular session last Monday evening; nothing only the routine business was transacted.——John Kull has associated with himself a Mr. Niemeyer, of St. Louis, to carry on a milling business. The old Star Mills are being thoroughly overhauled in every particular, four double sets of rollers are to be put in, and in about six weeks they expect to be able to start grinding.——Mr. George Brown, a former resident of this place, now of St. Louis, is a guest of his brother, Wm. Brown.——Miss Carrie Panhorst left last Monday morning for Mexico, Mo., to attend the Hardin College.——Henry Ahrens spent the first of the week visiting in McOlive.—J. D. Crubb spent Sunday in Carlinville, visiting friends. C. J. Keiser, of Mount Olive, was a visitor to our city on Wednesday last.——Harvey Ferguson Sundayed in Litchfield last Sunday with relatives.——O. F. McKinney, of Bunker Hill, called on his many friends here Sunday.——John Bornholdt was badly bruised last Wednesday evening in attempting to board a moving freight train.——Chas. Truit of the Journal in Hillsboro, Ill., was down on business Monday.——W. T. Bentley, after a few weeks' visit to Northern Illinois, returned Thursday morning.——The Times will appear again.——A lawn sociable given at the residence of Mr. J. D. Crabb last Monday, was one of those events that calls forth the elite of the city. A large crowd was in attendance and highly enjoyed themselves.——The price for coal mining has been raised since September 1, from 60 to 75 cents per ton. Good feeling prevails among the miners, and a good winter's work is looked for.——Robert Loose and Jesse Hinckle of Springfield were visitors at Frank Loose's Tuesday and Wednesday.——Mr. Harry Moss, who has been in Terre Haute, Ind., since January 1, returned on a visit to his family last Monday. He remains but one week.——R. W. Harding is enjoying home comforts and pure air this week. Richard is a brakeman on the I. & St. L.——The new clothing store opened in Adam Schoen's new and handsome building the first of the week, bids fair to do a good business. H. Berstein & Co. are the proprietors.——Henry Mank left Wednesday morning for Litchfield, where he expects to follow his trade as barber.——Mrs. T. P. Hoxsey returned home Tuesday after a sojourn of two weeks with friends in St. Louis.——Mrs. John Patrick and Mrs. Wm. Templeton of Bunker Hill are the guests of Mrs. Wm. Patrick of this place.——M. Stanton is building a large two-story house on his property in North Staunton.

Glasgow, Mo.

Correspondence of the Post-Dispatch.

GLASGOW, MO., September 7.—Miss Lizzie Lewis returned last week from a visit to friends in Old Franklin.——Sam C. Major of Fayette was in town last Wednesday evening.——A. C. Vanville, of the Charlton Courier, Keytesville, was in the city Thursday.——Rev. Manly J. Breaker of Fayette was in town Monday.——Isaac Leon and lady of Salisbury were visiting relatives in the city Sunday.——S. B. Mills of Kansas City was in town Sunday the guest of Mr. W. C. Dewey.——Mayor A. B. Southworth attended the James trial at Gallatin.——Miss Annie Billingsley left Monday for Ashley, Mo.——Miss Maria Swinney of Gilliam was in town Sunday.——Misses Alice Meyer and Ella Ruffel visited relatives in Gilliam last week.——Till Yourtee left Monday for St. Louis to attend school.——A. J. Swetland, W. B. Prosser, Joseph H. Rosenbaum and Edward Tieman were in the city Sunday.——Ore Merryford left Tuesday for Warrensburg, Mo., to attend school. Miss Ava, his sister, accompanied him.——Mrs. M. Brownfield and daughter, Miss Ida Becker, returned to their home in Pilot Grove, Mo., Wednesday, after a brief visit to relatives here.——Wm. Million and wife spent Sunday at Sweet Springs.——W. T. Dunnica and family returned Thursday evening from their Western tour through Colorado.——Mrs. J. A. Race and son Buell left Thursday for Gainesville, Tex., their new home.——John J. Hawkins has located at Prescott, Arizona.——The union picnic passed off quietly yesterday, and proved to be very beneficial to the church.——Julius Baer returned from Texas this morning.——Louis E. Tillman leaves to-night for St. Louis.

Jerseyville, Ill.

Correspondence of the Post-Dispatch.

JERSEYVILLE, September 7.—Col. W. H. Edgar has gone to Sedalia, Mo., on a visit to his brother.——The funeral of Mrs. James H. Kirby took place from the Baptist Church at 2 p. m. yesterday.——The W. C. U. Society had an excursion to Alton yesterday. About forty-five from this city went down.——Col. W. H. Fulkerson and family, G.W. Reed and T. F. Remer attended the Carlinville Fair this week.——Misses Annie Egelhoff and Emma DuHadway went to the city yesterday.——Dr. A. K. Van Horne has returned from his trip to California, looking well.——Public School begins Monday, September 10, Professors Pike and Murphy principal and assistant principal.——Slight rain this morning; not enough to lay the dust, however.——The $2,000 game of base ball that was to come off at Tilden, Ill., to-day, between Jersey County and Calhoun County, was a fizzle. Calhoun "squealed."——C. R. Hutchins and wife will spend Sunday in St. Louis, with their parents.——Hon. George C. Cockrell has gone to Iowa for a few days.——The Western Catholic Union Society of this city attended the reunion in Alton on Thursday.——John Schwartz and Rosa Wagner were married on Wednesday evening, at the residence of the bride's parents.——Judge Herdman is holding court in Greene county.——Marshal Whyte and Officer Burns have returned from Springfield.——W. A. Darlington attended the Carlinville Fair on Thursday.——Attorney Keating is in Colorado for his health, and will return in October.——Rev. Father Hearty attended the Catholic Reunion in Alton Thursday.——The Jersey County Fair begins here on Wednesday, October 10.——Bayris' Dramatic Troupe will play here in October.——J. P. Holcombe was in Carrollton yesterday.——Golden's Troupe played "Forget Me Not" to a large audience Tuesday night.

St. Charles, Mo.

Correspondence of the Post-Dispatch.

ST. CHARLES, MO., September 8.—A very pleasant party was given last evening at the residence of Mrs. Clauss, on Jefferson street. About twenty couples were present, and dancing was indulged in until a late hour.——Miss Janie Charlesworth, of this city, was married last Wednesday evening to Mr. James Sherwood, of Oregonia, Ohio.——Messrs. J. B. Ghio and Wm. S. Gross have returned from their trip to Chicago and Milwaukee.——Miss Lulu Baker, of St. Louis, is the guest of Miss Baseller, of this city.——Miss Julia Chauvin, of Kentucky, is visiting the family of Col. Emmons.——Mr. Henry Kemper has returned from an extended visit to New York.——Miss Jennie Murdock, from Daist Batioun, is the guest of Mrs. Kemper.——At the last session of the Grand Jury indictments were found against five saloon-keepers for violating the second section of the Downing law.

Warrenton, Mo.

Correspondence of the Post-Dispatch.

WARRENTON, MO., September 8.—Mrs. T. Clyce and daughter, Miss Beccar of Montgomery City, are visiting friends in this city.——Miss Ida Gempp of St. Louis is visiting her friend, Miss C. V. Dryden.——W. A. Middelkamp of St. Louis is visiting his parents of this place.——Miss Meniersbagen was the guest of Mrs. Blattner of Wright City on Sunday.——Miss Lollie Strother returned from Illinois on Saturday.——Miss Jennie Dryden of Montgomery City is the guest of Mrs. H. Parker.——Miss Carrie Dryden was in St. Louis on Friday.——Mr. and Mrs. Oberlag of Wentzville were in this city on Sunday.——W. S. Cavanaugh returned from Texas last week.——Solon G. Kimble and Jean Wilson of Jonesburg were in our city Monday.——Mr. and Mrs. Peers took in the Old Settlers' Reunion at Troy on Friday.——J. P. Chiles of Pendleton was in our city on Wednesday.——Mrs. H. C. Gempp and mother of St. Louis are here on a visit to R. J. Gempp.

Montgomery City, Mo.

Correspondence of the Post-Dispatch.

MONTGOMERY CITY, September 7.—Misses Stella Bruner and Fannie Ham left on Monday last for Fulton Female Synodical College, where they will remain as students for the ensuing term.——The Montgomery County Fair will begin at their Fair Grounds, near this place, on Tuesday, the 25th inst.——The Montgomery Cornet Band have just received new uniforms, in which they make a fine appearance.——Silas Corr, Recorder of Deeds, has removed his family from Jonesburg to Danville.——Probate Court is in session this week, and will adjourn on Saturday.——W. W. Palmer has returned from a visit to Chicago.——Prof. J. W. Ferry, formerly one of the principals of the Montgomery City High School, will take charge of the Danville School during the next term.——Miss Annie Gilchrist has returned after an absence of several weeks visiting friends in Jacksonville, Ill., and near Miss Fannie Jones has given up her position in the Post Office, and has taken charge of the public school in District No. 4, for a term of six months.——S. T. Danforth, who sold his residence near Montgomery City to James Berry of St. Louis, has purchased and now occupies the property formerly owned and occupied by H. H. Hayden and family in this city.——Miss Maud Somerville gave a reading in Library Hall on last Friday evening to a small but appreciative audience. Miss Maud is pretty and intelligent, and J. W. Jacks of the Standard, says she is the missing Miss Churchill.——Mrs. P. D. Gordon has sold her news depot to J. J. Willi, who will take possession on Monday next.

Garnett, Kan.

Correspondence of the Post-Dispatch.

GARNETT, KAN., September 7.—We are having very hot and dry weather, and vegetation is very much in need of rain.——A new building is being built on the Fair Grounds, and will be completed in time for the Fair, which takes place on the 19th, 20th and 21st of the present month.——A fine three-story brick bank building is now being built by Mr. S. Kauffman, to be occupied by the Bank of Garnett, an institution established the 1st of July.——Judge G. M. Uerline returned from Circleville, Ohio, Wednesday.——Dr. J. P. Jackson of Kansas City, is visiting friends in Garnett.——Mrs. S. Kauffman left for the Iola Mineral Springs last week.——Mr. and Mrs. Joe Groll are taking a pleasure trip to Lawrence, Atchison and Topeka.——Mrs. W. P. McDonald returned Thursday from a lengthy visit to relatives in Pennsylvania.——The public schools opened Monday with an enrollment of 380 pupils. The principal, Prof. J. B. Robinson, is an old and experienced teacher, and will undoubtedly give satisfaction. Mr. Ross Woods is assistant principal.——W. H Stein has got his new engine in position.——A large vault is being built at the rear of the County buildings for the use of the County Clerk.——Dr. E. E. Hamilton made a flying visit to Waverly, N. Y., where his father is dangerously sick. Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Mellen started Wednesday for a lengthy tour through Colorado.

Salem, Ill.

Correspondence of the Post-Dispatch.

SALEM, ILL., September 8.—This city and surrounding country is prosperous.——Fruits of all kinds are being shipped in large quantities.——The fruit-drying establishment here is consuming 150 bushels of apples per day.——The drought in this section has been very severe on crops.——Attorney-General McCartney will deliver a temperance lecture here next Sunday at 3 o'clock p. m.——Circuit Court has adjourned after a session of three weeks.——A new railroad is in course of construction to this place.

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Another Missing Girl.

The police to-day received the following request to hunt for another missing girl:

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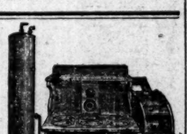

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ESTATE of Eliza Van Court, deceased. Notice is hereby given that letters of administration on the estate of

Eliza Van Court,

deceased, were granted to the undersigned by the Probate Court of the City of St. Louis, on the 3d day of September, 1883.

All persons having claims against said estate are required to exhibit the same to the undersigned for allowance, within one year after the date of said letters, or they may be precluded from any benefit of said estate, and if such claims be not exhibited within two years from the date of this publication, they will be forever barred.

Dated this 8th day of September, 1883.

JOSEPH R. TIERNAN, Administrator of Eliza Van Court's Estate.

ESTATE of Frederick Schiereck, deceased.—Notice is hereby given that letters testamentary on the estate of

Frederick Schiereck,

deceased, were granted to the undersigned by the Probate Court of the City of St. Louis on the 5th day of September, 1883.

All persons having claims against said estate are required to exhibit the same to the undersigned for allowance within one year after the date of said letters, or they may be precluded from any benefit of said estate, and if such claims be not exhibited within two years from the date this publication, they will be forever barred.

Dated this 8th day of September, 1883.

AUGUSTA SCHIERECK, Executrix of Frederick Schiereck, deceased.

SEALED PROPOSALS.

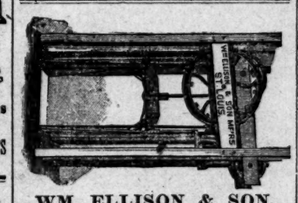
ST. LOUIS, September 7, 1883.

Indorsed "Proposals for the concrete footings, masonry, rubble and rangework" on the proposed Exposition and Music Hall Building, in the Missouri Park, city of St. Louis, Missouri, will be received at this office until noon Wednesday, September 12, 1883.

Plans and specifications can be seen, and further information furnished, at this office, on and after Monday, September 10, between the hours of 10 a. m., and 4 p. m., daily.

The Board reserves the right, to reject any or all bids if deemed for its best interest.

S. M. KENNARD, Chairman Building Committee.



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SPECIAL NOTICES.

OFFICE OF CROUTEAU, HARRISON & VALLE IRON CO. ST. LOUIS, September 4, 1883.

NOTICE is hereby given that the annual meeting of stockholders, and the election for directors of this company, will be held at the office of the company on Tuesday, September 18th, 1883. Polls open from 9 to 12 o'clock.

EDWIN HARRISON, President.

PAUL A. FUSZ, Secretary.

SHAREHOLDERS' NOTICE TO INCREASE STOCK—A meeting of the shareholders of the Nunesca Cattle Company will be held at the company's office in St. Louis, Mo., 513 Olive street, on Saturday, 6th day of October, A. D. 1883, at 10 o'clock a. m., for the purpose of voting upon a proposition to increase the capital stock of the company to $75,000.

HENRY C. WILSON, WM. F. LEONARD, LESTER M. HALL.

STOCKHOLDERS' MEETING—Office St. Louis Cotton Compress Company, St. Louis, Mo., August 4, 1883. The regular annual meeting of the stockholders of this company for the election of eleven directors will be held at the office of this company, corner Rutger street and the Levee, on Saturday, September 8, 1883. Polls open from 9 a. m. to 12 o'clock m.

C. M. DONALDSON, Secretary.

St. Louis, August 4, 1883.

NOTICE—At a meeting of the directors of the Chester and Harris Manufacturing Company the resignation of L. G. Harris as Vice-President and Director, was received and accepted, and Theo. Tamm elected in his place. By a unanimous vote of the stockholders the corporate name of the Chester and Harris Manufacturing Company was changed to Chester and Keller Manufacturing Company, by which name it will be known hereafter.

O. G. CHESTER, President.

GEORGE KELLER, Sec'y and Treas.

St. Louis, Mo., September 4, 1883.

BE it known that the limited partnership between Wightman Breedlove Smith and David R. Francis, heretofore entered into on the 2d day of August, 1882, is hereby renewed, as follows: That Wightman Breedlove Smith and David R. Francis, each residing in the city of St. Louis, state of Missouri, do hereby continue the limited partnership heretofore entered into, under the firm name and style of Breedlove Smith and Wightman. Breedlove Smith is the general partner, and David R. Francis is the special partner; and said David R. Francis has actually contributed and paid into said partnership the sum of fifteen thousand dollars in lawful money of the United States, and the general nature of the business to be transacted by said co-partnership shall be a grain exporting and general commission business, to be transacted in the city of St. Louis, State aforesaid, and said partnership, as hereby renewed, or continued, shall continue for the period of one year commencing on the first day of September, Anno Domini, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three, and David R. Francis may withdraw annually for his individual use, from the means of said partnership, an amount equal to one-half the net profits of said partnership, and the books of the present partnership hereby renewed or continued, have been balanced, the balance of profits according to and after taking into account only the true amount of its assets esteemed good the amount to the credit of said David R. Francis on said books is fifteen thousand dollars.

DAVID R. FRANCIS, W. BREEDLOVE SMITH.

Witnessed by FRED. N. YOUNG.

State of Missouri, City of St. Louis—ss.

Wightman Breedlove Smith being duly sworn on his oath says that the matters set forth in the foregoing statement are true.

W. BREEDLOVE SMITH.

Sworn to and subscribed before me this twenty-third day of August, A. D. 1883, witness my hand and official seal.

[SEAL] C. D. GREENE, JR., Notary Public.

State of Missouri, City of St. Louis—ss.

I, Charles D. Greene, jr., a notary public in and for said city and State, certify that on this twenty-third day of August, A. D. 1883, before me personally came David R. Francis and Wightman Breedlove Smith, who are personally known to me to be the same persons whose names are subscribed to the foregoing statement of limited partnership as parties thereto, and severally acknowledged the same to be their act and deed for the uses and purposes therein mentioned.

In witness whereof I have hereto set my hand and official seal, this twenty-third day of August, A. D. 1883.

C. D. GREENE, JR., [SEAL] Notary Public.

State of Missouri, City of St. Louis—ss.

I, the undersigned, Recorder of Deeds for said city and State, do hereby certify that the foregoing and annexed instrument of writing was filed for record in my office on the 23d day of August, A. D. 1883, at 12:22 o'clock p. m., and is truly recorded in book 716, page 18.

Witness my hand and official seal on the day and year aforesaid.

THOS. F. FARRELLY, Recorder.

ELECTION NOTICES.

ELECTION NOTICE—Office St. Louis Elevator, Sand and Gravel Company, No. 620 Chestnut st., room 18, August 2, 1883—Notice is hereby given that an election for seven directors of this company will be held at this office, Wednesday, October 9th, 1883, between the hours of 3 o'clock p. m. and 5 o'clock p. m.

JOHN LOLER, President.

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CHERUB'S COLUMN.

The Going and Coming Attractions at the Local Theaters.

Minstrels with Old Jokes—Worn-Out Variety Performers—Joaquin Miller's Worthless Play—The Standard Opening—Gossip.

Providence, assisted by intelligent theatrical managers, has so arranged the show business that we get the worst attractions at the beginning and end of the amusement season, when the weather is so warm that there is a good excuse for neglecting the theater.

This week the mercury was still soaring high, while the tone of local entertainments was proportionately low, and the patronage was only fair.

There is no reason why the attendance at any of the houses should have been better. The visitors got all they deserved from the pockets of our theater-goers, and if their receipts had been less they would have been better proportioned to the merits of the performances.

Next week all the theaters will be running with melodrama and comedy in such abundance that the preliminary boom in theatricals ought then to set in.

Joaquin Miller's play, "The Silent Man" was presented at Pope's during the week to small houses.

If anybody should turn up to claim participation in the authorship of this play, as was the case with "The Danites," Joaquin had better take advantage of the opportunity thus afforded him to shirk the enormous responsibility that must attach to the parentage of such a production.

"The Silent Man" has a good plot. There is in it the thread of a highly interesting story; but a 'prentice hand has fooled with the characters, and overburdened the dialogue with trashy talk and turned out some remarkably poor situations from material that might have been better dealt with.

As it now stands the play is very weak, and without Joaquin Miller's name it wouldn't travel as far as Kirkwood on its merits.

Still the complaint has been made that dramatic pirates have come to it for suggestions. Mr. Miller himself has been heard to lament that "Carrots" and kindred socalled comedies have been stolen bodily from this latest production of his pen.

It is no recommendation to any play to say that it in any way resembles "The Silent Man."

The gain made by stealing anything from it is not at all commensurate with the offense, which by the greatest stretch conscience could be classed any higher than petit larceny.

Its literary value is absolutely nothing; its dramatic qualities are not remarkable qualities are not remarkable enough to attract any attention.

The company secured and here organized for "The Silent Man" was a very good one, and as far as its production went the drama, which deals with Western life, was well put on the stage.

Frank Evans, who is a clever artist, enacted the role of the hero very satisfactorily, and Frank Mordaunt, who had the comedy work to do, did it exceedingly well.

Miss Libbie Noxon, in [a rollicking soubrette part, gave a little brightness and life to the performance, and her friends in St. Louis, where she formerly made her home, were more than delighted with her vivacious and sprightly impersonation of the old Virginia colonel's tangle-haired and tattered daughter.

The rest of the company were below mediocrity, Lawrence Marston, who played the French land speculator, and who had the strongest part in the drama, doing so badly that his effort was ridiculous.

The scenery being of the rugged, picturesque character called for by the play, was full of striking artistic effects.

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Lizzie Evans is the attraction announced for next week at Pope's Theater.

Miss Evans is a young soubrette who caught the eye of Manager John Havlin, while he was traveling with Minnie Maddern last season.

Personally she bears a great resemblance to Miss Maddern, and is said to be even a better actress.

She has Miss Maddern's reportoire, and will be supported by a company reputed to be good, although composed of people who seem to be new to the stage.

Miss Evans herself may be said to be new. Her reputation as a soubrette is based upon her impersonation of Clip, the waif, in Barney McAuley's "Messenger from Jarvis Section."

It was in McAulay's play and in this same character that Minnie Maddern, who is now beginning her third starring season, first gained recognition as an actress of merit.

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Haverly's Mastodon Minstrels at the Olympic had the largest houses of the week, and gave an entertainment that was good in some of its features.

Antiquity was, as usual, a marked characteristic of many of the jokes in the first part, Harry Armstrong particularly distinguishing himself by stringing out prehistoric humorisms in a manner that was perfectly appalling.

Hughey Dougherty, who did nothing original for the past several years until he got drunk and made a display of himself Thursday night, had a stump speech with him that was old enough to shave and vote.

Billy Richardson, the English comedian, who came over with Sam Hynes' band of Britishers at the beginning of last season, seems to find this a land of delightful indolence, for he is spouting the same old speech he made when he first joined Haverly.

Hughey and Billy will have to hurry and get something new if they do not wish to join the caravan of minstrels going down hill, and at the head of which is their rotund friend Billy Rice.

The new and good things in the entertainment were Sanone and Girard's "Dudes," Johnson and Powers' "Alabama Home" sketch, the finale of the first part, and the handsomely toileted after-piece, "The Princess of Madagascar."

George Powers, who does a splendid banjo solo, was a favorite here as long ago as the days when Fred Wilson's Opera House flourished on Fifth and Pine streets.

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Joseph Gulick, now managing the Mastodons, is a St. Louisan. He was in the poetry class of St. Louis University when he left that institution in 1865. He was sign painting at Fifth and Market street in 1869, when he threw aside the brush and burst forth upon the stage as a performer.

He was fitted out in a song-and-dance suit by Joe Long of the Varieties, and with Frank Stansill, an utility man at De Barr's, organized the "Grand Dramatic Olio and Minstrel Combination of Missouri," which had an existence of two consecutive nights.

Miss Kitty Mills was in the company, so were Sprague and Mack, song-and-dance men.

Gulick did a Dutch dialect turn, and played the amatory Captain in "The Loan of a Lover."

Their first appearance was in the school hall at Carlinville, Ill., to a $200 house. The local critic sat down upon the show, and next night there was only $4 in the house.

They played no more. Gulick says he has not been able up to this day to understand how the company ever got back to this city.

He was ambitious [illegible] the first to be a manager and after a long experience at the treasury business, and with W. Cole as agent at last formed a partnership with Blaisdell and got all into managing he started.

The experience cost him $[illegible]. He has been with Haverly's Minstrels for the past sixteen months.

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Maud Granger will follow the burnt cork crowd at the Olympic.

The actress who in addition to considerable emotional force on the stage has a beautiful pair of biceps will appear in John A. Stevens' latest dramatic effort, "Her First Love."

In it Miss Granger will play the role of a Russian peasant girl who marries a count and is submitted by him to a variety of indignities, until she at last runs away from him, when she seeks and finds consolation in the society of a rival count, who is also her cousin.

Miss Granger appeared in the drama in California, whence she now comes, claiming all sorts of newspaper honors, and filled full of rapture over the excellence of Mr. Stevens' work.

She will be supported by the same company that gave her support in California, and the performance will have this recommendation, at least, that the author will not appear in it.

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The Davene Specialty Troupe drew fairly during the week at People's.

It was, taken in all, a very enjoyable show, the only objectionable features being those contributed by Boyd and Sarsfield, who are poor, and Mr. Eames, the Ethiopian comedian, who has missed his vocation in going on the stage.

The acrobatic and gymnastic features of the performance were novel and surprising, the Villions, Mr. Murray, Mons. Davene, and Mlle Lotto, all performing skillful and thrilling feats in their respective lines.

Ella Wesner's male impersonations were of course tip-top. I hear that she will star next season in a play written expressly to suit her stage style.

I hear, too, that the magnificent masculinity suggested in Miss Wesner's figure is not all nature, but that generous padding is resorted to to fill out the gorgeous form she exhibits on the boards.

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McKee Rankin and his dramatic company will appear at the People's Sunday night and during the week in "The Corsican Brothers."

This is the romantic melodrama which Fechter made so popular.

Rankin, who is a good actor, has been playing successfully in it for some months now, and has received a great deal of newspaper praise for his work.

He begins an engagement at the Union Square, New York, as leading man in November at a salary of $500 a week.

The piece will be handsomely mounted by Manager Robertson.

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The Standard to which the finishing touches were put last Friday night, will be thrown open to the public to-night.

This new theater, which is on the northeast corner of Seventh and Walnut streets, is the largest in capacity in the city. It will seat 2,600 people.

It is beautifully finished inside, handsomely furnished and stocked with fine new scenery.

Last night the newspaper men and several citizens had a peep at its interior and pronounced it a perfectfairy palace.

To-night's play will be "The Power of Money," a new and strong melodrama adapted from the French. It will be presented by a good company, with Bessie Sanson, late of the Vokes party, as the soubrette.

Mr. Henry S. Harrington of the School Board will make the inaugural address at 8 o'clock.

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The Grand Opera-house will open its season to-morrow night with Miss Jennie Yeaman in a new comedy entitled, "Meda," by A. R. Sims.

Miss Yeamans is a soubrette of the first rank. She will play the banjo and sing and dance at each performance.

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Clara Morris, I see, is going on the road again and will appear in St. Louis during the week, beginning November 18.

Miss Morris has not been here for four years or more. She will have "Camille," "Article 47" and "Divorce" in her repertoire.

Aimee, who recently arrived from France, will be here with her opera bouffes, December 17.

Henry Irving, the celebrated English tragedian, also has a St. Louis date, playing at the Olympic during the week of January 21.

Edwin Booth will also be here this season, and it is probable that Mrs. Langtry will have the cheek to call again. CHERUB.

FRATERNITY FACTS.

St. Louis Lodge, No. 5, I. O. O. F., meet this evening with work.

Victoria Council, No. 646, Royal Arcanum, confers the degree this evening.

Missouri Lodge, No. 4, A. O. U. W., confers the junior degree this evening.

Lincoln Grove, No. 26, Ancient Order Druids, gives the crimson degree this evening.

Mt. Moriah Lodge, No. 40, A. F. & A. M., hold stated communication this evening.

Clan McDonald, No. 6, Order Scottish Clans, meet this evening at Druids' Hall with work.

Court Mound City, No. 16, United Order of Foresters, will introduce several candidates to-night.

Future Great Lodge, No. 2894, Knights of Honor, will work on the two first degrees of the order to-night.

Ascalon Commandery, No. 16, Knights Templar, assemble at their asylum at 8 o'clock this evening.

Washington Encampment, No. 18, I. O. O. F., will confer the higher degree of Odd Fellowship this evening.

The Pythian Hall Committee met last night and received several additional subscriptions to the stock.

Deputy Supreme Commander Danne will institute a new commandery of the order of the Red Cross next week.

Washington Association, No. 3, National Americans, will hold an important session to-night. Be on hand early.

Jewel of the West, No. 369, Knights and Ladies of Honor, will have a very pleasant session to-night. Initiations will occur.

The Regents' Association held a pleasant meeting last night and transacted a large amount of business for the good of the order.

Branch, No. 93, Order of the Iron Hall, will light the lurid lycopodium to-night, when several gentlemen will feel the glowing iron.

George Washington Council, No. 214, American Legion of Honor, has it laid up for three curious people to-night. There will be fun there.

All the councils of Knights of Temperance will meet to-night with Harmony Council, No. 4, when thirteen lads will receive the primal grade.

Our Neighbors' Lodge, No. 233, Good Templars, will to-night consider plans for entertainments the coming winter and other business of importance.

St. Louis Legion, No. 1, Select Knights A. O. U. W., had a fine drill last night at Nineteenth and Pine streets. Their movements and soldierly bearing elicited much applause from the spectators.

Tuscan Chapter, No. 68, Order Eastern Star (Lady Free Masons), meet this evening at Twenty-third and Franklin avenue, with work in the several degrees. Mrs. Sarah E. McCully, Worthy Matron, presiding.

Cherokee Tribe, No. 4, Improved Order of Red Men (the oldest in the city), will confer the Braves' degree to-night. This tribe has more scalps and amulets and other trophies than any other in the State, and you will spend an enjoyable sleep at their wigwam.

SEEKERS for situations should insert a ten-cent advertisement in the POST-DISPATCH.

SPORTING NEWS.

The Athletics Lead For) the American Association Pennant.

Possibility that St. Louis May yet Win—Standing of the Clubs in the Association and the League—The Mitchell-Slade Fight Off—Boating Notes—Gossip.

The Athletics and Columbus clubs got together at Philadelphia yesterday and played off one of the games which Columbus allowed to be transferred from their own town to the Athletics' home grounds. Of course the Athletics won, and won easily at that. Columbus got two runs in the whole game, one of which was a present, Birchall muffing an easy fly. The final score was: Athletics 5, Columbus 2. Base hits: Athletics 9, Columbus 5. Errors: Athletics 7, Columbus 8. Earned runs: Athletics 2. The side show lasted just one hour and thirty-five minutes. This was the only American Association game played yesterday.

The following League games were played yesterday. At Philadelphia—Philadelphia 11, New York 9; at Providence—Providence 8, Berlin 8.

AMERICAN ASSOCIATION.

The Athletics have succeeded at last in getting a lead which it will be difficult to overcome. The three defeats of St. Louis at Philadelphia this week were most unfortunate, especially as St. Louis led at the stick and in the field in two games, which were nevertheless won by the Athletics. The tactics pursued by the Athletics are not at all commendable, but they seem to have accomplished the desired object, the winning of the pennant. St. Louis can push to the front yet, but to do so the Browns will have to play better ball and have very much better luck than has fallen to them lately. The following is the standing of all the clubs up to noon to-day.

CLUBS.	Athletic	St. Louis	Cincinnati	Metropolitan	Louisville	Pittsburg	Columbus	Baltimore	Lost.	Won.
Athletic		7	7	9	6	12	0	11	52	59
St. Louis	4		6	9	8	9	11	9	56	56
Cincinnati	7	8		3	10	4	11	8	51	51
Metropolitan	5	2	8		4	9	8	10	46	46
Louisville	4	6	4	5		9	9	6	43	43
Pittsburg	2	2	6	5	2		3	9	29	29
Columbus	1	3	3	3	5	8		6	29	29
Baltimore	3	1	3	5	5	5			25	25
Lost	26	29	34	37	49	56	57	59	338	

	Won.	Lost.	Played.	Per Ct. Won.
Athletic	59	26	85	.694
St. Louis	56	29	85	.658
Cincinnati	51	34	85	.600
Metropolitan	46	37	83	.554
Louisville	43	40	83	.518
Pittsburg	29	56	85	.341
Columbus	29	57	86	.337
Baltimore	25	59	84	.297

THE LEAGUE.

The battle between the four leaders in the League is the hardest known since the clubs banded together to play for the championship. After Tuesday's defeat by Chicago, Providence, Cleveland and Boston were all tied on games won, and since that time Chicago has been knocking the Detroits around, and has now forged ahead, but with a lead so small that nothing sure can be predicted from it. The following is the standing of all the clubs, including all games played up to to-day:

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

The standing of the League up to noon today is as follows:

CLUBS.	Chicago	Providence	Cleveland	Boston	Buffalo	New York	Detroit	Philadelphia	Won.
Chicago		5	6	7	9	7	8	9	51
Providence	6		4	6	6	9	9	11	51
Cleveland	8	7		4	7	6	9	9	50
Boston	3	7	7		4	7	7	14	49
Buffalo	5	5	6	6		7	9	7	45
New York	4	4	7	4			5	11	40
Detroit	1	2	5	4	5	6		8	35
Philadelphia	2	3	2	0	4	2	3		16
Lost	33	34	34	34	39	44	50	69	337

	Won.	Lost.	Played.
Chicago	51	33	84
Providence	51	34	85
Cleveland	50	34	84
Boston	50	34	84
Buffalo	45	39	84
New York	40	44	84
Detroit	35	50	85
Philadelphia	16	69	85

RACING.

The races at Brighton Beach yesterday resulted as follows: Three-quarters of a mile—Jessie B. first, Bullette second, Emma Creamer third. Time, 1:17½. Mile—Lord Edward first, Maj. Hughes second, Hank Sage third. Time, 1:45¼. Seven-eighths of a mile—Laura Glass first, Ida B. second, Henry B. third, Time, 1:31¼. Mile and a quarter—Barney Aaron first, Harold second, Red Fox third. Time, 2:10¼. Mile and one-eighth—Mattie Rapture first, Irish King second, Jim Nelson third. Time, 1:56¾. Mile and one-eighth—Little Fred first, Swift second, Fairweather third. Time, 1:57¾.

At Charter Oak Park, Hartford, yesterday, in the 2:25 class, Sleepy Joe won, taking the second, third and fifth heats; Louise N. second, Don 3d. Best time, 2:22. In the 2:23 class Zoe B. won in straight heats, with Pearl in next place and Kitty Patchen third. Time, 2:22¾, 2:22¼, 2:23¼. In the 2:20 class, pacing, Westmont won, taking the second, third and fourth heats, Billy S., who got the first heat, coming in second in the race, and Eddie D. third. Best time, 2:16¾. Wilson won in the 2:21 class in straight heats, with Phyllis second. The two first heats were trotted in 2:19 and the third in 2:18¾.

SCULLERS' SUNDRIES.

At the Amateur Regatta at Greenwood Lake, N. Y., yesterday the pair-oar gig race was won by Wm. Moore and C. Dempsey of Newark, N. J., in 12:06. The single fell to J. J. Murphy of Boston in 12:06. The four-oared junior shell race was won by the Eurekas of New York, in 11:20, the Pioneers being second. The six-oared gig race was won by the Metropolitans of New York in 11:39½, the Tyoons of New York being second.

Hanlan has telegraphed that he will be here on the 15th inst. and that he will row here during the week he remains. A race will be arranged between him and Jake Gaudaur.

Harry Parker and Jake Gaudaur have arranged a sculling match for a purse of $150, which takes place to-morrow, Sunday afternoon, at the mouth of the Missouri. The conditions are two miles with turn, and, as the men are evenly matched, the contest will be very close. The steamer Colorado, H. G. Carson captain, will make two trips to the scene of the race, leaving the foot of Washington avenue at 9 a. m. and 2 p. m., and stopping a short time to take passengers at North Market street and at Brenham avenue.

Wallace Ross has accepted Albert Hamm's challenge to row, and the details will be arranged immediately.

NOTES.

Mace, Slade and party have gone to New York, and will call the fight with Mitchell off. Mitchell is still willing to fight, but wants Mexico selected as the battle-ground. The people of El Paso are still offering free battle-ground and transportation, but neither of the sluggers pays any attention to this opportunity.

The open lawn tennis tourney began at Philadelphia yesterday and will last three days.

Puritan, who won the steeplechase at Sheepshead Bay, Tuesday, has been disqualified by the judges.

President Von der Ahe and the members of the St. Louis Club arrived from Philadelphia this morning. To-morrow they meet the Baltimores at Grand Avenue Park, and as the latter club has been strengthened greatly, the fight will be a hard one. A monster crowd will surely be in attendance. St. Louis will have to play hard, as it is necessary for them to win nearly all the thirteen games here to get the pennant. Games in future on Sunday will be called at 3 p. m.

The Stars, K. of P., will again play the Fourth National Bank nine at Sportsman's Park, to-morrow, Sunday. The game will be called at 9 a. m.

The St. Louis Foot Ball Club have accepted the Shamrocks' challenge, published some days ago in the POST-DISPATCH, and a match will be played between the two clubs at Compton Avenue Park at 4 p. m. to-morrow (Sunday) afternoon.

The Channing avenue and Compton avenue Ball Clubs play a game at Compton Avenue Park, beginning at 9:30 a. m. to-morrow.

MAGUIRE'S Quinine and Iron allays nervousness, tones the stomach, vitalizes and cleanses the blood and gives strength. $1.00. Sold by druggists.

CITY NEWS.

Thomas Candy, a Cherokee Indian boy, was reported missing yesterday at the Four Courts.

Francis Hutchins, colored, reported to the police last night that his wife had run away with $350.

Mrs. James Ravy became insane while traveling to this city on an Ohio and Mississippi train last night.

The School Board will meet next Tuesday evening at the Polytechnic building with a heavy docket for disposal.

Locomotives Nos. 310 and 371 of the Wabash collided yesterday, but did slight damage in the sudden meeting.

Henry Hilmers was thrown from his wagon while turning out of a car track yesterday and sustained serious injuries.

About $200 damage was done by a blaze in a grocery store, on Eleventh between O'Fallon street and Cass avenue, last night.

August Sieman had one finger of his left hand crushed in Hesse & O'Brien's printing office, 14 South Sixth street, yesterday.

While John Burke was lying drunk under the bridge a Missouri Pacific train ran over his left foot, crushing it badly last night.

About 2 o'clock yesterday afternoon Mary Loehr, a blind woman, fell into a cistern at 3211 Wisconsin avenue and was drowned.

The ministers will meet at noon to-day to urge the Governor to call an extra session of the Legislature to amend the Downing law.

Fred Hoyt took a dose of strychnine yesterday with suicidal intent but was sent to the City Hospital from 1005 Broadway without delay.

At the meeting of the Missouri steam engineers held last night some serious defects in the new Water-works machinery were pointed out.

George E. Pritze had one arm run over and crushed while trying to board an Iron Mountain train at Fourth and Chouteau avenue yesterday.

Antoine Hoitz, Fourteenth and St. Charles streets, took a dose of strychnine by mistake. The City Hospital physicians think they can pull him through.

The three-year-old daughter of Mr. Ed. Brown, fell from the third-story window of No. 3110 Pine street yesterday, and received injuries which may prove fatal.

A fight between several brick makers employed at Howard & Bros. brick yards and the employes of the San Francisco Railroad took place yesterday at Cheltenham. Before the trouble amounted to any importance the police interfered.

MAGUIRE'S Quinine and Iron gives appetite.

Y. M. C. A. NOTES.

Mr. J. Kessler, German Secretary Y. M. C. A., returned yesterday from a three weeks' trip to Minnesota.

Mr. Walter C. Douglass will supply th pulpit of the Glasgow Avenue Church tomorrow morning and evening.

Mr. Z. M. Williams, Assistant Secretary Y. M. C. A., will preach at Ferguson's Station, on the Wabash Road, to-morrow morning.

A serious of brilliant chuch choir concerts will form a part of the entertainments that the Y. M. C. A.. will afford its members among the young men of the city this winter.

Hon. Geo. R. Wendling will deliver his new lecture upon "Satan" for the Y. M. C. A., in this city on Thursday evening, October 11. This is pronounced Mr. Wendling's masterpiece.

Gen. Oliver P. Gooding, of this city, has been engaged by the Y. M. C. A., to deliver his lecture on "Future America" which has received high encomiums elsewhere, but which has not yet been heard in St. Louis. He will lecture on the 18th of October.

Mr. Walter C. Douglass, General Secretary Y. M. C. A., has been selected by the International Committee at New York City to represent them in the Convention of Associations of the State of Colorado, which will meet at Colorado Springs on the 20th inst.

A meeting for young men only will be held at the Y. M. C. A., on Eleventh and Locust streets, to-morrow afternoon at 4:30. A prayer meeting will be held for ladies at the same hour in the reading room. A union undenominational gospel service for both sexes will be held in the evening at 8 o'clock, led by Mr. C. R. Garrison.

MAGUIRE'S Quinine and Iron keeps off ague.

A Corean Nobleman.

From the Pall Mall Gazette.

During the rebellion in Corea a year ago a nobleman named Rijutel saved the Queen's life, and the King offered to reward him with any rank or honor which he might aspire to. His reply was: "I only ask to be permitted to go to Japan, in order that I may see and study the civilization of other lands." While in Japan he called upon a Christian Japanese, for the purpose of acquainting himself with the claims and objects of Christianity. He was deeply impressed, his interest ripened into conviction, and before long he was baptized into the Christian faith. Rijutel's great desire is now to give the Bible to his people, and he has zealously begun the work of preparing a Chino-Corean version.

Unappreciative.

Arkansaw Traveller.

"I fought for your freedom" said a gentleman whom a negro policeman was conducting to the lock-up.

"You needn't try ter fight fur yourn, cap'n, fur if yer does I'll hit yer."

"Ain't you got no respect for a man who helped to free you?"

"I ain't steadyin' 'bout dat cap'n. Ef yer had enuff sense to fight fur yer freedom yer aughter hab enuff ter 'habet yerse'f arter I'se freed. Doan pull back dat way. I'll gin yer a lick 'fust thing yer know dat'll ring so loud dat de fire engines will come out. Yer own freedom seems to bodder yer much more den mine."

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THE COUNCIL.

Charles Evans' Name Sent in as Fire Chief—Proceedings.

All the members of the Council were present at the meeting last night. The Mayor sent in the name of Charles Evans to be Fire Chief, and the nomination was referred to Messrs. Zeigenhein, Straub and Haines, the standing committee on Fire Department. Efforts made to take up the nomination of Judge Cady for Police Justice, and to go into Committee of the Whole on other nominations in the hands of the Council, were defeated by the old-time seven to six vote.

Mr. Stone offered the following preamble and resolution touching upon the subject of Water-works:

"Whereas, The honorable Board of Public Improvements in their annual reports to his Honor, the Mayor, for the years 1881, 1882 and 1883, call attention to and through him of the Municipal Assembly, to the pressing necessity of extending the present Water-works; and,

"Whereas, From said reports information is gathered that,

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of the Board of Public Improvements, they, the board, notwithstanding millions of dollars have been expended in the location of and construction of water-works at Bissel's Point, conclude that the low-service engines should be removed from their present location to a place to be selected by the board known as the Chain of Rocks; the construction of new settling reservoirs, remodeling the present settling reservoirs at Bissell's Point into filtering reservoirs, and the whole being recommended in the absence of general plans and detailed drawings of the proposed work; therefore, be it

"Resolved, That the President of the Board of Public Improvements be, and he is hereby, requested to furnish the Council with a detailed statement of the names of the owners of the land upon which the Board would recommend the location of the proposed works at the Chain of Rocks, the quantity of land proposed to be acquired at the Chain of Rocks and its probable cost; also the names of the owners of the land through whichthe proposed conduit would pass in its construction and connection with the settling reservoirs at the Chain of Rocks with the proposed filtering reservoirs and clear well at Bissell's point."

The resolution was referred to the committee on public improvements.

The House of Delegates was in session but a few minutes and transacted no business.

SOCIETY GOSSIP.

Mr. and Mrs. George T. Cram are at Saratoga.

Mr. C. L. Spencer left Tuesday for the East.

Mrs. Tyler has returned from Ocean Beach.

Mr. C. K. Garrison leaves this week for Colorado.

Mrs. Gen. Kearney is at home again from the seashore.

Miss Eva Paddock returns next week from Spring Lake.

Mrs. Tucker and sons have returned from Upper Alton.

Mrs. George Gordon returned Tuesday from Virginia.

Mr. and Mrs. Ellis Pepper left this week for Washington.

Mrs. Owen Kates has returned from Houston, Texas.

Mrs. Coghlin and family returned this week to the city.

Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Shapleigh were at Rye Beach last week.

Mrs. Charles Comfort has returned from her northern trip.

Mr. Wm. Bates of St. Charles is visiting friends in the city.

Mrs. Beard and daughter arrived from Hannibal, Tuesday.

Mr. Roger Hayne has returned from his summer trip abroad.

Mrs. Edward Whittaker returned this week from Colorado.

Mrs. Joe P. Carr and family return this week from Lakeside.

Mr. Ed Warner has returned with his family from the seashore.

Mrs. Gauss has removed from Locust street to 3520 Chestnut street.

Mrs. Leroy P. Valliant and family are at home from the seashore.

Mrs. J. W. Lewis is home from a visit to friends at Oconomowoc.

Col. and Mrs. Paramore are spending a fortnight in New York.

Mrs. Cross will spend Christmas in St. Louis with her parents.

Dr. and Mrs. Maughs have returned from their trip to San Francisco.

Mr. A. M. Sullivan returned last week from his hunting expedition.

Judge Dryden and family return next week from Charleroix, Mich.

Prof. Robert Goldbeck and family will return this week from Erie, Pa.

Mrs. Dr. J. G. Wilson has returned from Colorado fully restored to health.

Mrs. Massy leaves this week for Denver to make a visit of several weeks.

Mrs. Will Scott has moved from Pine street to 3842 Washington avenue.

Dr. and Mrs. C. H. Goodman spent a portion of the week at the Exposition.

Miss Mollie Spencer, who has been East for the summer, returned this week.

Mrs. Randolph Hutchinson and children will return next week from Arcadia.

Mr. Ed Holliday, who has been visiting in Texas, has concluded to reside there.

Miss Josie McEnnis took the white veil at the Maryville Convent on the 8th.

Miss Ione Aglar and Miss Florence Bevis have returned from their California trip.

Miss Mattie Waterman and Miss Nellie Layner returned this week from Canada.

Mrs. Thompson of Garrison avenue returned Thursday from Independence, Mo.

Mrs. Johnson and her family from Mississippi, are stopping at the Beaumont Flats.

Miss Minnie Henly has returned from a visit to her sister, Mrs. Jackson, of Texas.

Mr. Edwin Jacobs, accompanied by his mother, left this week for Virginia Springs.

Mrs. J. W. Wear and family returned Friday from a pleasant sojourn at Ocean Beach.

Mrs. John Pritchett and daughter returned Wednesday from Des Moines, Iowa.

Miss Lida Dunn has returned from Bunker Hill, accompanied by Miss Adel Gordon.

Misses Almy and Virginia Breckenridge are expected home about the 1st of October.

Mrs. Humphrey has returned from Green Lake, where she has been spending the summer.

Mrs. Hawley and her daughter, Miss Mary Hawley, have returned from Naragansett Pier.

Mrs. Bernard Pratte of Atlanta, Georgia, is the guest of Mrs. Capt. Bryan of Locust street.

Mrs. John Frost of Texas, arrives this week to visit her grandmother, Mrs. Swearingen.

Mrs. Woodson, of Independence, is the guest this week of her daughter, Mrs. B. E. Reece.

Capt. Sturgeon and family have moved from Laclede avenue to No. 6 N. Beaumont street.

Mr. Richard Garrison and family were called home suddenly by the illness of a relative.

Mr. and Mrs. B. Berthold have taken a home at 2622 Caroline street and are housekeeping.

Mrs. C. R. Goodin returned on Saturday from her Eastern trip. Miss Maggie Goodin will return October 1st. Miss Isie Goodin is still in Kentucky, visiting her relatives, and will not return before November 1st.

Miss Olive Harding, returned from Oconomowoc, where she has been spending the summer.

Mr. and Mrs. Leon Hull, and little daughter Nellie, returned this week from the sea-shore.

Mr. and Mrs. Delord Bruthe, nee Zoe Papin, leave this week for their home in New Orleans.

Mrs. Ashley D. Scott and family returned this week, after a delightful summer spent at Oconomowoc.

Mrs. Hodgman, who has been to Lake Ontario for her health, returned this week much improved.

Mr. John Ladd and Mr. Burroughs of Chicago are still at Salt Lake, but will return by the 15th.

Mr. Chas. M. Burt left for New York last Wednesday. He expects to make that city his future home.

Mrs. R. J. Lockwood and her daughter, Miss Jennie Lockwood, will return this week from Virginia.

Mrs. Ben Kimball has returned from Arcadia, and is fitting up her new house, No. 3414 Franklin avenue.

Mrs. Edwards, of Kirkwood, has taken a house, No. 2105 Olive street, and will spend the winter in the city.

Miss Lila Mastin, Miss Anita Glasgow and Miss Caroline O'Fallon are visiting friends in Huntsville.

Miss Hannah Marie Fleming, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Fleming, issued cards to her friends last week.

Mr. George Griswold is keeping "bachelor's hall" in fine style at Benton, where he entertains his friends.

Mr. Silas Bent and his daughters, Misses Cherrie and Lucie Bent, will return about October 1 from Europe.

Mr. Charles Breckenridge of Louisville has joined his parents here, intending to make St. Louis his home.

Mr. and Mrs. George Coulter, of Norwalk, Conn., will visit their niece, Mrs. P. C. Sandford, during the carnival.

Miss Rita Robertson gave a dinner party last Wednesday to her guests, the Misses Flemmicks of New Orleans.

Mrs. Judge Laughlin has returned to the city to reside during the winter, and has taken No. 3319 Laclede avenue.

Mrs. W. P. Gordon passed through the city this week for Bunker Hill, Ill. She will return and spend fair week.

Mrs. Dr. Webb and her daughter, Miss Annie Webb, have returned from the Lakes, and will visit Louisville this week.

Mrs. Samuel Bent has taken possession of her new house on Virginia avenue, and gave an entertainment there last Friday.

Dr. Porter of Lucas avenue gave a complimentary entertainment to the other members of the faculty last Monday evening.

Miss Anna Edgar has returned to the city and is now on Olive street, where she will open a school on the 10th of this month.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred. Paramore have returned, after a pleasant sojourn at Mt. Desert, White Mountains, and New York.

Mrs. James B. True has removed from Laclede avenue to their new residence which has just been completed in Cabanne place.

Miss Katie Pittman of Sherman, and Miss Mollie Betterton of Dallas are stopping in the city a few days, en route to Louisville.

Mrs. Rebecca Sire and her nieces, Mrs. McClannahan, Miss Annie Green and Miss Nancy Conn, returned this week from the Northwest.

Mrs. Henry Warden of Philadelphia, en route to visit friends in Hannibal, spent a day or two with her aunt, Mrs. Haily, of the Beaumont Flats.

Mrs. Thomas J. Scott and family have left Asbury Park, and are visiting relatives in Orange, N. J. She will visit New York before returning.

Mr. Gallagher of the firm of Paxon & Gallagher of Omaha, and Mrs. Gallagher, will be guests during the carnival of Mr. and Mrs. John Ladd.

Dr. and Mrs. T. G. Comstock are at the Grand Union Hotel, Saratoga. They will also visit Mauch Chunk, in the Lehigh Valley, and Leroy, N. Y.

Mrs. Arthur Holland and Miss Mosie Rogers of Columbia, who have been guests during the past week of their aunt, Mrs. Haley, left for home this morning.

Mrs. Robert Foster entertained Mrs. Holland and Miss Mosie Rogers and Mrs. Dave Hays at luncheon on Thursday at her residence, No. 3536 Chestnut street.

Mrs. Holland and Miss Mosie Rogers were entertained at dinner on Wednesday by Messrs. Clannahan and William Holland, at their handsome bachelor quarters.

Misses Mattie and Susie Blow were at Mt. Desert last week; also Mr. and Mrs. Thaw, Miss Dixie Thaw, Miss Lulu Garrison, Mr. John H. Beach and Mr. Jacobson.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Amelung will return this week from the East. They will be joined later by his mother, Mrs. M. M. Amelung, who will spend the winter with them.

Mr. W. B. Addington of Seventh and Olive, left on Thursday evening for the East, and will attend the American Pharmaceutical Association at Washington, D. C.

Prof. A. G. Robyn left on Tuesday evening for St. Paul, accompanied by his father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Robyn, and his sister, Mrs. Kilgen. He will be absent three weeks.

Mrs. H. W. Chandler gave a lotto party last Tuesday to the Misses Flemmicks, of New Orleans. There were present Misses Ella Parker, Julia Perkins, Lulu and Nellie Gibson. Messrs Bert, Lynch, Crase, Ingalls and others.

Miss Minnie Garnell of Park avenue gave an elegant party last Tuesday evening to a large number of her friends. The evening was spent in dancing, and a handsome repast was served at 11 o'clock. Prizes were awarded to the best dancers, and Miss Hattie Champlin of Lucas avenue received the first prize among forty couples. She wore a dainty, white Paris muslin, beautifully trimmed in valenciennes lace, and draped with a long sash of black satin tied in a large knot at the left side, with ends floating to the hem of the robe; black silk mits and hose were worn to match a band of black velvet encircling the throat, clasped by a sparkling diamond cross. Mr. Henry B. McLain, Miss Champlin's escort and a stranger in St. Louis, won the second prize. Miss Minnie Garnell, the hostess, wore a costume of white embroidered swiss, with garniture of loops of pink satin ribbon and ornaments of diamonds. Miss Nellie Sidman wore a costume of nun's veiling, with a bouquet of pink roses. Miss Emma Turner a pretty toilet of blue satin, trimmed in Spanish lace, and square corsage and filled in with the same lace and necklace of pearls and diamonds. The dining room was adorned in æsthetic style with sunflowers, and the string band was half concealed by a screen of plants and flowers.

The Sunday Rest Association.

The Workingmen's Sunday Rest Association was permanently organized at a meeting held at Fifth and Franklin avenue last evening. A platform of the intentions of the association was submitted and received. The following officers were elected: President, J. W. Barnes; vice-presidents, W. F. Cozzins and Stephen Wilson (colored); Executive Committee—T. Hoeffner, representing the white barbers; Joseph Clarke, cigar dealers; W. O. Gibson, grocers; W. Gray, newsdealers; John Barron, brickmakers; J. A. Field, agricultural implement interests; R. L. Rosebrough, marble dealers; E. P. V. Ritter, gents' furnishing; F. W. Dustin, laundries, and J. Cornelius for the painters.

THE HOUSEHOLD.

Retail Rates of Sundry Supplies That Cheer the Inner Man.

Vegetables

A NEAPOLITAN CHROMO.

Midsummer Glimpses of Naples and Resurrected Pompeii.

It was at the close of a midsummer day that I first beheld Naples, the classic Parthenope of the Greeks and the acknowledged mistress of the "bright and fierce and fickle South," whose face the traveler is counseled to look upon and die. On one side of the blue bay sat Capri, with its wondrous grottoes, and on the other famed Ischia, while the semi-circular city in front gleamed whitely in the last rays of the setting sun, the rose tints of the horizon melting meanwhile into the azure of the waters. A light vapor hung about the crest of Vesuvius—the giant of the plains of the Antique Hades—and the air was heavy and dull. A steamer bound for other lands lay like a dot on the rim of the waveless sea, and behind it for miles stretched the long, black trail of trembling smoke, unmoved even by the soft zephyrs. Anon lights gleamed from castle and villa, and danced along the summits which look down upon the sea from nestling gardens or from beneath crowns of festooned verdure. Quartered in a palatial but deserted hotel overlooking the Chiaja, I fell asleep with the impression haunting me that Naples had been overestimated. I was fresh from the Orient, and had seen the blue shadows resting at sunset on the Bosphorus, and the sea of Marmora washing the feet of Istamboul—that magical blue which can only be compared to the rich blush which mounts the cheek of a ripe plum and which once touched is gone forever like the bloom of the poppy—a color which defies the artist and laughs at the painter whose pigments are only words. Viewed in this humor the Bay of Naples had been a disappointment to me. But in the morning as I beheld it from my window, dancing and blinking in the golden sunlight, the fresh breeze fanning me as though ladened with the faint sweets of the gardens of Gul, the waters now lapis-lazuli, now ultra-marine as the shadows flitted, I felt that it was glorious to be in Naples. It was so like the pictures; so full of repose and suggestions of *dolce far niente*. St. Elmo frowned from the heights above; Castellamare smiled across the gleaming bay, and sombre, frowning, threatening Vesuvius loomed like an evil spirit filled with wicked thoughts. Now in Vesuvius a monster witness of deeds blacker than night; a dumb and silent witness never revealing one scintilla of that coveted knowledge which stretches so far away into dim antiquity. Beside the black and menacing genii stood the silent sister Somma—Somma, the terrible, who poured but her wrath upon wicked Pompeii eighteen hundred years ago, and then suddenly retired from the business—now, with folded arms, seeming to say to the spiteful partner: "I have made my record! and abide by it. See if you can do so well."

The season was over in Naples. The tourist was now prowling in Switzerland and the Tyrol, or sailing the fiords of Norseland. The Grand Hotel Nobili was so hollow and deserted that the frightful plague stories of Boccaccio crept into my mind. At the *table d'hote* there were only five courses, so to speak. A young French priest, evidently too devout for his years; a dowdy woman, with diamonds, bordering on second childhood; a young Englishman of good family and his wife of no family, together with the subscriber, constituted the party. The solitude of the forest and the forlorn condition of seasickness in a strange vessel will not compare with the wretchedness of a small party of strangers in a large dining room. The Englishman was not altogether a stranger to me. I had seen him kicked down the stairs of the club in Pera for the mild offense of secreting some high cards in his coat sleeve, with a view to imparting a fictitious value to his hand while playing *ecarte*, and had been informed that he had secured his wife as partner an estimable jewel, such as Rawdon Crawley pillowed upon his bosom when he wooed and won the sagacious Rebecca Sharp. In him I recognized the typical Anglo-Saxon adventurer who, with the sturdy zeal of the Colorado beetle, penetrates to the filthiest corners of Europe, swindling hotel-keepers, victimizing money-lenders, and filling the capitals with oaths and the odor of brandy and soda—all on the strength of good connexions at home. So when this Man of the World proposed to lift the roofs off the houses of Naples for my especial edification—an operation by no means inexpensive nor inodorous—I declined with modesty and slipped away by myself to contemplate the nude statuary in the Villa Reale.

In Naples indolence and vivacity go hand in hand. The *lazarone*, now almost of an extinct species, sleeps in the sunshine, while Pleasure and Avarice also defy the shafts of Phœbus. Naples, too, has its smells. Perhaps the enthusiast means to say "Smell Naples and die." It were worth a journey to that hazy city to peep into the little shops and quiet homes and see the Virgin and Infant Child flickering in the light of the little vestal lamps. They are always there. What the chimney-pot is to the London house, is the Madonna to the householder of Naples. And in the narrow streets scarcely a householder but who could contemplate, sprawling in front of his door, an insect-faced, dirty cherub for all the world like the *bambino*, clasped in the arms of the sad woman in the picture behind the lamp. Adolescent Italians and palsied saints bespeak the substantial industries of Naples. The grave of Virgil, the cavern of Posilipo and the art galleries constitute the curriculum of every visitor, but I went also to the cemetery of Campo Santo Vecchio. Here are over three hundred and sixty-five cells or crypts—one for each day of the year. Every morning a cell is opened and every corpse brought in during the day is tumbled unfeelingly into the receptacle. At night it is closed, not to be opened for a year. Although generally reverential in the presence of human ashes, I could not help thinking that if the sexton were a man of venturesome disposition, he would feel strong promptings to lay wagers with his neighbors on the possibility of this or that cell, swallowing up as many victims to-day as it did on the corresponding day of last year. They teach forcibly the Hebrew lesson of equality in a dead-at Camp oSanto Vecchio.

Naples is rich in churches. I have little taste for rummaging around the damp and mouldy aisles of historical churches. The basilica with its chilled atmosphere, heavy with incense and its nooks reeking with damp and death mold, is the authorized agent of Italian fever and the malignant enemy of the traveler. To hasten out of bright sunshine into crumbling tombs is to invite chill, and I always find my greatest comforts in contemplating church architecture from the outside. But I was persuaded into visiting the chapel of Santa Maria della Pietri di Sangri, and was rewarded by a sight of two of the most remarkable pieces of sculptor's art in existence, "the Veiled Christ," and "Vice Convinced." I know that my artistic friends who feast upon the treasures of the Vatican, the Louvre and the Capitol will smile at this, but stranger as I am to the higher and more ethereal works of art, I lay down the proposition that in point of execution (not conception) the world contains no rarer gems. Having done this I patiently await the response of the gentlemen for the defense.

It is in the night season that Naples puts on her crown and takes her seat on the throne of beauty. The streets blaze with light; the parks are heavy with music and the babble of voices; the boatmen sing and quarrel by the mole; the cafes are ablaze; the lemonade sellers hawk their wares; the vender of obscene literature is abroad and the carriages and cabs roll and grind through the granite-like avenues. Above all there is the incessant cracking of whips. The whip cracker is more of an institution in Naples than the rosy coral. Every driver in Naples is a "Position de Lonjemeau" in the pyrotechnics of his profession. Crack! crack! crack! Picket firing—the nervous and precipitate kind which precedes the deadly volley is alone comparable to this silken fusillade. What a lesson the dull, inacre driver of Vienna, who only wakes up when the fare is due, might gather from this vivacious Southern brother! A feature of the Neapolitan street by gas-light, is the handsome officer of the army. It may be questionable whether Italia herself has "the fatal gift of beauty," but her military officers have, and the bad record made on modern battle-fields may be traceable to this fact. The handsome wearer of epaulettes is better qualified for whispering sweet words in the ears of Senoras than hunting for reputation at the cannon's mouth. And, then, there is the soldier of the *Bersaglieri* everywhere, lithe of body and quick of step, his sweeping crown of feathers conveying the conscious fact that he is of the corps upon which Victor Emmanuel lavishes his heart—the corps which followed old La Marmora in the bloody Crimea. I rode away in the balmy night for a mile or two on the bosom of the bay in a boat propelled by two dirty oarsmen. I breathed the luxurious air and dwelt upon the circling lights of the city whose noises came faint over the waters. I recited the tender lines of Buchanan Reade, "Drifting," and lingered over that melodious refrain:

> With dreamful eyes my spirit lies
> Under the walls of Paradise.

But it was only to feel that nature had endowed me with few of the requisites of the poet. There was but little inspiration in all of that scene for me, and I wondered how such a rude son of our Western world could have struck the lyre with such a masterful hand of Genius! But let me never forget the homage due that genius which clothes the very commonplaces of life with the immortal robes of poesy and breathing on a bit of canvas bids it live and speak to worlds to come!

From Naples to the resurrected city of Pompeii is as natural as from London to Kew. At six o'clock in the morning I found myself in a carriage by the side of a Sicilian *valet de place* with a face so bronzed that it only needed a touch of corrosive green to be a real antique. He professed to speak English, but like all the Continental guides, he was a most exasperating fraud. He knew his little story and told it so wretchedly that you lost all appreciation of historic surroundings in one grand impulse to cut his throat. He was a muscular dog, and he mangled the Queen's dear English with impunity. I was entertained in the outset by the sight of an Englishman in helmet and "knickerbockers" surrounded by a crowd of giggling street rats. When will Englishmen learn that while knee-breeches and unsightly, flabby calves are endurable in Scotland, where barelegged Gaels with red noses are daily to be seen, they are highly out of place in lands of sun and romance. And those uncouth heinuses, the pantry of the Punjaub! Your John Bull leaves his murky, misty, soggy clime for a month of sunshine. Straightway he claps a pith helmet on his sconce and swathes it with linen as though he feared his brain would sputter under skies which would scarce encourage a canary to warble. I have seen him under helmet and veil on sunshade in Switzerland when a fur cap would not have been out of place. The road to Pompeii skirts round the bay and lies through Portici, with its villas once favored by the nobility and doubtless resplendent in the days when Murat held court. The market gardeners and peasantry from the Campania were thronging the thoroughfare at this early hour, and in front and behind and everywhere were the big two-wheeled carts which answer the place of cabs for the poor of Naples. They came on in clouds of dust, covered with people in radiant colors and borne down with baskets, which toned the gaudy colors with their contents of green. How we managed to hang to these tumbling vehicles was a mystery, and I found no time to investigate. As the sun came up life at the drinking houses and in the squalid homes began to manifest itself. In front of a tenement here and there a matron might be seen with her cherub on her lap, comb in hand, hunting for vermin in the well kept preserves with as much zest as a Walton would display in whipping a mountain stream for trout. Portici is famous for macaroni. Buiwer sententiously mentions this fact in the vivid story of "Zanoni." We passed a number of the most celebrated manufactories. The delectable edible hung drying on racks in long, graceful, drooping gouts, which corrected the perpendicular lines in the background. The dust and pulverized ordure of the roadway settled in clouds on the plastic substance, and swarms of flies diligently affixed the true Neapolitan trade-mark on every stem. Lord bless my soul I shall never again eat macaroni!

Along the lava-paved road, by the soldiers of the *octroi* thrusting ramrods into carts loaded with hay, over the burned town of Herculaneum, upon whose ruins a new town has grown like fungus, we reach the gates of Pompeii when the burning sun is high above Vesuvius. There is no breath from the blue bay whose waters creep softly about the base en feet of the dead cities, moaning for the days made bright by their golden traffic. The heat scorches like a sirocco. The programme includes a breakfast at the Restaurant Diomede, where beggars abound and flies are most persistent, and where there is a deep-seated suspicion of that national vice—garlic. I had a bottle of wine certified to as having been pressed from grapes raised on the scarred and blackened sides of the Fire Mountain. In one corner of the breakfast room sat a newly-wedded pair of Italians, enjoying what Tom Hood would call "moon and honey for two." Their meal was "bread and cheese and kisses," for while they ate he reached across twice and helped himself to the social kisses. What were the woes of Giancus and Ione to this loving couple? While my breakfast progressed a brace of street musicians came in stealthily and took position in a vacant corner. One was an old bald-headed Italian player with ape-like eyes set close together and though each vitrous orb held to the belief that his neighbor would bear watching. The other troubadour, who looked as though he had been dug out of the ruins, had a guitar. The two sang songs in which the wandering minstrels of Italy can play. First it was a tremulous solo from Donnizetti, then came the grand, sad chorus from "Il Trovatore" The hungry flies did severe execution upon the glistening pate of the flute-player. Without losing one note he would from time to time give his unprotected knob a vicious blow, the while keeping his red-rimmed eyes beseechingly upon me. It was a marvel of execution. First it was with the right hand then with the left that he would brush away his tormentors, but never for an instant did the sweet melody cease to pour from his magic reed. I can see him now, this bent old man, who had doubtless blown, like the great god Pan, for forty years at the gates of Pompeii, hunting flies and fingering his flute, and in the seasons to come the melodious "Miserere" will bring me only a vision of his grotesque performance. Can it be possible that the old musician never heard of our once popular air, "Shoo Fly?"

We enter Pompeii along the Appian Way and through the gate of Herculaneum, by the crumbling tombs, halting at the Museum to inspect the *curios*. Here the blackened bread from the bakeries, the household gods and the sadly impacted skeletons tell the fate of Pompeii. In the writhing limbs and the poor human lifting his hand to his face for the last time, we have the story of the death agony. Poor Pazan, how strange it is that after sixteen hundred years of quiet inhumation you find the beatific state under a glass case, a show for gawks from this new world where civilization has shot its farthest rays! From the place of relics we pass to the Forum, with its broken columns and temples, fresh with gaudy frescoes and brick-work that the artist and artificer might have left but yesterday, so tenaciously is the vigor of color retained. There is no disappointment in Pompeii. I confess to sensations in its deserted streets which no situation in life ever called forth. To stand here where Love and Hate, Greed and Envy and all the changeless human passions held sway years before the story of the Redemption had been told; amid the mute, luxurious and licentious evidences of a people without a history; beneath the awful shadow of that ever threatening Mountain of Fire, was to recall the lurid nights of terror which sent a populace flying from its homes and embalmed in everlasting death the sick, the weak and the debauched. No ruins speak like these. The narrow streets, paved with lava, bear the scars of chariot wheels, and the stepping-stones at the crossings and the *trottoirs* are worn by the sandals of senators, prætors, maids and soldiers. At this point a stone fountain offered its grateful waters to the cattle of the street, and here the publican held out his bush to the lover of good wine. I wandered from street to street with the excitement of a discoverer. Now in the court where the corrupt edile held forth; now in the temple where the juggling priests of Isis performed their mysteries; now in the grand amphitheatre, the garden of Salust, the rich home of Lucretius and the barracks where the soldiers died waiting for orders. The sun beat down with brazen fierceness, and the panting lizard, with "precious jewel in its head," crawled where the nobles and the *dilletanti* had been. I was somewhat surprised at the size of the dwellings and buildings of Pompeii. The grandiose descriptions of Roman towns had always led me to believe that the lords of those early days had been troubled to find room for their majestic buildings. Who, that has read of the "impluvium," the "peristyle," the "triclinium," the "vividarium" and the "penetralia," would associate a Pompeiian house with low ceilings, narrow halls and pinched proportions? I found the buildings of Pompeii, from temple to brothel, "cabined and cribbed" affairs. Few were more than one-story. A garden meant only a little square set in Mosaics, with a fountain in the centre and some flowers in jars. The bed-rooms were but little better than closet, window-less and cell-like. I could understand the narrow streets—the concomitants of all walled towns—but the rich public baths and the famed "House of the Faun," were so circumscribed as to almost excite contempt. Only the space allotted to the forum and theaters denoted liberality and broad ideas. The guide to Pompeii must have his little, old joke. Entering a silent barber shop, where the marble seat in the center and the cups found in the niches of the walls betrayed the art of the tonsorial professor, he would say: "Pehap you wiz a shav dis day; tak a seet; ze barbier he have out go for few minit; he soon come agin. I zink," and then he would grin as though this facetious idea had worked its way through his thick skull for the first time. Dropping in at a restaurant where the frescoes on the walls were naked gentlemen assisting each other to wines, fruits and edibles, and where the earthen kettles still on the range, were suggestive of fragrant soups and good living, this humorist would observe: "Sail we eat someding; ze bill of fare I do not zee; aha, ze cook he gone out too; zis town is in hell ov way zis day." It was thus that the merry guide kept the mind of the visitor off the solemn lessons of the place, and the brown Italian soldier who dogged behind kept him from stealing the bits of mosaic which his fingers longed to gripe.

The excavations at Pompeii go on steadily year after year under the direction of the government, the fees collected from visitors defraying the expenses of the work. Nearly one-half the mysterious city remains to furnish speculation and entertainment to the next generation. The careful digging is done by men and the ashes are carried out beyond the walls in baskets, and on the backs of women—the patient pack-horses of Naples. New objects are brought to light daily and the relic dealer near the main gate is emboldened to keep up his inexhaustible stock of antiques direct from Birmingham.

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It was a delicious night in which I tugned my back upon Naples. The soft air, the drowsy hum of insects, and the fragrance of orange gardens filled the soul with a composite sense of luxury. Writing now beneath the dark Bohemian skies, I can almost revisit the scene by an effort of the memory. Fitful gleams of light were playing around the crater of Vesuvius, and I watched the sombre cone, about which there is such a strange fascination, until distance shut the monster from my sight. Next morning I saw the sun shine fiercely on the desolate Pontine Marsh, and betimes found myself set down beside the ruins of the Diocletian baths in Rome—Rome now a young and vigorous daughter, clasping to her bosom a dead mother's relics. A modern city linked with broken colonnades, moldy temples and graceful arches that speak of all that is grand and shameful in history. Sacred in religion, shadowy with antiquity, and rich in art, before thy altars and in the presence of thy sainted heroes, oh! Majestic Rome, I lay aside my feeble pen.

J. A. COCKERILL.

CARLSBAD, September 2, 1877.

THE IRISH QUESTION.

Views of a Presbyterian Minister of Belfast Touching the Land League.

We have been requested to reprint the following card addressed to the Belfast Morning News, by way of demonstrating that the friends of the Irish cause in Ireland are not all found in the ranks of one religious organization.

Some people in County Monaghan and elsewhere want to know why I have not returned from the General Assembly to my home at Castleblayney, and why I have not taken any part in the election which is now so much talked of. To these people I have simply to state that, being seized with a severe cold the week before last, I was under the necessity of remaining in Belfast until now. Indeed, I may say that, though I am recovering, I am advised to avoid speaking at the meetings now being held all over the county. I much scarcely say that it is hard for me to keep silent on such a topic as this election. I have lived for thirty-six years among the farmers of Monaghan, and I know them to be a hard-wrought, kindly, lively, and most peaceable peasantry. I know how they have been treated—despised and impoverished by a set of rack-renting landlords. I suppose some people will sympathize with me in regretting that the Roman Catholics and Presbyterians seem in this election contest to be in opposite camps. At the last election they joined cordially together, returned Mr. Givan and thus defeated their common oppressor—old Toryism. In this election some Roman Catholics will vote for Mr. Pringle, who has their interests deeply at heart; and some Presbyterians will vote for Mr. Healy, than whom there never was a truer friend of the oppressed farmers of this country. But no genuine and intelligent Presbyterian or Roman Catholic can have the face to vote for Mr. Munro, the foe of the farmer, the friend of the tyrant landlord. I have learned by long and bitter observation and experience what County Monaghan landlordism is, with its insolent officials and brutal instrumentalities. Until it is utterly abolished the county will not enjoy peace, plenty and freedom. There is nothing too mean for it to do; it will falsify, confiscate and swindle; it will defame, evict and exterminate; it sows the seeds of party and religious hatred among brethren; it pits man against his fellow man; individuals that it may conquer and ride common people to death. All the world knows how it sets tenants, as spies and informers, on one another. By its office rules, its bribes, its penalties, its unbearable burdens, its blandishments and threats, it corrupts the springs of social life, it darkens the dawn of intellect in the young, it ploughs deep furrows in the brow of old age, it stupifies the poetic faculty, it cripples the free play of manly independence, it crushes warm hope into icy despair, it refuses rational motive to the will, and it deadens all the fine sensibilities of man's moral and emotional nature. Had the Liberals and the Land League not taken up arms against it, the quicks in the feuces and the stones in streets would have joined in denouncing it. So detested is this infernal system by the tenant farmers of Monaghan that they would welcome even a Cromwell were he to appear to extinguish it. Awake! Awake! ye men of Monaghan, and on Saturday put down this system by voting either for Healy or Pringle. Let Munro bundle and go. I am, sir, yours truly, MATHEW MACAULAY,

Presbyterian Minister.

"6 University street, Belfast, June 27, 1883."

THE OLD PIANO.

How still and dusky in the long-closed room!
What lingering shadows and what faint perfume
Or Eastern treasures—sandal-wood and scent
With nard and cassia and with roses blent.
Let in the sunshine—
Quaint cabinets are here, boxes and fans,
And hoarded letters full of hopes and plans;
I pass them by. I came once more to see
The old piano, dear to memory,
In past days mine.

Of all sad voices from forgotten years
Its is the saddest; see what tender tears
Drop on the yellow keys, as, soft and slow,
I play some melody of long ago.
How strange it seems!
The thin, weak notes that once were rich and strong,
Give only now the shadow of a song,
The dying echo of the fullest strain
That I shall never, never hear again,
Unless in dreams.

What hands have touched it! Fingers small and white,
Since stiff and weary with life's toil and fight;
Dear clinging hands that long have been at rest;
Folded serenely on a quiet breast,
Only to think,
O, white, sad notes, of all the pleasant days,
The happy songs, the hymns of holy praise,
The dreams of love and youth that 'round you cling!
Do they not make each sighing, trembling string
A mighty link?

All its musicians gone beyond recall—
The beautiful, the loved, where are they all?
Each told its secrets, touched its keys and wires
To thoughts of many colors and desires,
With whispering fingers;
All are silent now, the farewell said,
The last song sung, the last tear sadly shed;
Yet love has given it many dreams to keep
In this lone room where only shadows creep
And silence lingers.

The old piano answers to my call,
And from my fingers lets the lost notes fall.
O, soul that I have loved, with heavenly birth
Wilt thou not keep the memory of earth,
With smiles and sighs?
Shall wood and metal and white ivory
Answer the touch of love with melody,
And thou forget? Dear one, not so.
I move there yet (though now I may not know)
Beyond the skies.

LILLIE E. BARR.

A STARTLING SITUATION.

From the Modern Age.

One day Sardou pledged himself to write a play for the Theater Francais. Returning home he rummaged among his papers, in which he was in the habit of writing down his ideas, and found the outline of a farce. It is the comical situation of a man who, after being married before the magistrate, is separated by a thousand obstacles from the church wedding, and, therefore, according to French ideas, is married without being so. He glanced over the sketch, and suddenly exclaimed: "There is material here than the burlesque despair of a conjugal Tantalus, the point is something no less important than the question of civil marriage, the strife between Christianity and religious conviction, and therefore, material worthy of one of our leading theaters." And he wrote "Daniel Rochat."

This illumines a somewhat peculiar side of theatrical ideas, and, as usual, I was led to it by a personal experience. In 1837 I wrote with my friend Goubaux the five-act drama, "Louise de Ligueroles," the last creation of Mlle. Mars. The outline seemed to me very alluring on account of its novelty; it turned upon the husband's violation of his marriage vow. When the play was finished we read it to Eugene Sue and his clever, original friend, Sauvage. We were seated around Sue's easel, for the famous artist said that he could only listen while painting. I was the reader. The first three acts, which of course brought the wife, husband and mistress on the stage, pleased our critics, but from the fourth act the reading was heard in silence that boded disapproval. As for Sauvage, without a word of criticism, drew a large house key out of his pocket and began to whistle energetically. I started up angrily and protested. Eugene Sue upheld me. Sauvage then added to his whistled verdict a verbal one no less severe. "It is stupid," said my fellow-writer, Goubaux, and called upon him to defend himself, but he took out the door key and whistled still louder than Sauvage. The opinion was pronounced, the piece condemned. Whitout changes, nor softening, nor developing would avail, half the audience had fallen. We were oblliged to rebuild it from the foundation. We set to work the very next day, but the whole winter passed in fruitless efforts. We found no expedient. At last one day morning I said to Goubaux: "My dear friend, there is only one means of escape. Our unfruitfulness is owing to our constantly moving in the same place, continually turning in the same circle of situations. We need a new element, a new chiraeters, and this can be no other than the husband of the wife's rival."

"You are right," said Goubaux, "a meeting between the two men, a duel."

"No, no duel!" I eagerly exclaimed. "We need not only a part, a situation, but a character. And the character suddenly appeared before me this morning, in the Memory of a terrible story in which I too was involved—a strange, tragical incident I experienced—an eccentric person whose friend I had been. The story is a whole drama in itself, a drama that carries us a thousand miles from ours, yet it contains a word, a detail that, fructified, developed, may serve as a basis for the reconstruction of our two last acts.

"Do you want me to tell you about it?"

"Certainly," replied my companion with his usual drollery, "but don't conceal anything under the pretext that it has nothing to do with our play. Are not the best moments of mutual labor those in which one does nothing at all. People learn to know and love each other in these intervals of rest, these glimpses of chaos. Besides, in theatrical business the shortest way between two points is often a circuitous one. So no omissions—commence."

I began:

"In the year 1832, when I was five-and-twenty, I was in Rome, where I made the acquaintance of a fellow-countryman, somewhat older than I, who attracted me by his energy and originality. Tall, powerful, sanguine, with black hair and very light-blue eyes, August L. often went out hunting in the environs of Rome with Horace Bernet, spent money like a lord and—was bored to death. He had inherited the spleen from his father, who shot himself in a fit of melancholia, and often told me he should die in the same way. When we returned to Paris, the acquaintance formed in traveling developed into friendship. He also introduced me to his best and only friend, Gustav D., who had served several years in the army, and then, on inheriting property, retired with the rank of first lieutenant. When in his 45th year he had married a remarkably beautiful young girl, between whom and himself the strongest possible contrast existed. Simple, grave, stern, with a heart full of kindness which he seemed to shrink from expressing in words, and only showed in acts, Gustav reminded me of certain military characters in the days of the republic. He was like a Watteau, small, dainty, well-rounded, with rosy cheeks, sparkling eyes, dazzling teeth, two little dimples in the corners of the mouth—in short a charming combination of blonde and Parisian. What was to happen, happened. She deceived her husband. He discovered it and asked his friend's advice. "There is but one thing to do," said August L.; "kill the lover and send your wife away." "The lover is no longer here." "Then the wife is left; turn her out of doors."

But my friend loved the unworthy woman with boundless affection. She wept, pleaded, repented, and he took pity on her. But his friend's anger was inexorable. "If you forgive her to-day, she'll begin again to-morrow. I would send her off."

A few weeks after the young wife stood before him. "What have I done to you that you should persecute me so with your hatred?" she asked. "What have you done to me?" he repeated, trembling with rage. "You have inflicted the same anguish on me as on him. Why do I persecute you? Because I hate and despise you as much as I do the most miserable creature. Because you have deceived a man who snatched you from poverty, almost wretchedness, honored you as if he were brother, father, and lover in one, who is the noblest-hearted man I know—and you had the courage to deceive him! From compassion, love for him and horror of you, I persecute you. Farewell, madame!" And he left her.

"The deuce!" laughed Goubaux, "a savage fellow, this friend. What did the wife do?"

"Guess."

"I don't trust Watteau. She probably set about turning his head for revenge."

"No."

"Did she murder him?"

"No. She fell violently in love with him. His impetuous friendship, his abhorrence of ingratitude roused her enthusiasm. She loved because he despised and hated her, and only waited for an opportunity to throw herself at his feet with the words: 'Strike! I will honor the hand that kills me!'"

"What did the stern moralist do?"

"He visited me during those days, and I read in his face that she had spoken. He was pale, emaciated. 'Dear friend,' I said anxiously, 'if there is still time—to America, to Africa—as far as possible—or you are lost. The fire will seize you. You believe yourself merely disarmed, touched, compassionate, but you are in love.' 'No, no,' he cried, 'that would be a crime.' That is just the reason. Human nature is weak and unlovely. Ask the priests. Friend, you are in love, like that woman—perhaps more than she. Fly!'"

It was the 1st of July. I went with my family to the seashore, to Dieppe. One day he suddenly appeared before me with an agitated face, and begged me to give him an asylum. "You can yet save me. I have no cause to reproach myself. I have not spoken the fatal word. With you I shall find strength to be silent forever."

He spent a fortnight with us. The family life, the enjoyment of nature seemed beneficial to him, but he was silent, terribly silent. One day he received a letter from his sister who had remained in Paris. She wrote that a charming young married lady had come to her house and formed an intimate friendship with her and her children. It was the unhappy woman, who, frantic with grief at his departure, had approached his sister, in order at least to see those whom she knew he loved. We left Dieppe together. He returned to Paris, we to our country-house. A month later I learned from his own lips what I had expected. They met again, loved, the husband had discovered all. A duel was expected.

"I won't fight," said the husband, "it would afford you too much satisfaction. Ten years in my country's service have given me the right to choose my revenge: I give you to each other."

The lovers retired to the little country house at Compiegne, where my friend's father killed himself. For two months I had no news. I wrote inviting him to witness the first performance of my new play, and received the following answer: "Dear author, you mystery-monger, you have told me nothing about your new piece. To punish you, I would have liked to attend the first performance, armed with a whistle, but I shall be absent. I shall kill myself to-morrow with my executioner. If you should see me you would hardly recognize me. My hair has grown perfectly white. Under a plausible excuse I have collected thirty bundles of wood and several cans of petroleum in my little summer-house. At 11 o'clock to-morrow night we shall go there voluntarily, she and I. I shall pour the oil on the wood, light it, then kill her and myself with a bullet from my revolver. Farewell! Be happy in this world! I shall see if there is another!"

You can understand my horror. I set out for Compiegne. All was over. I found only a summer-house in ashes and learned that some charred bones had been found under the embers, a part of the poor woman's shoulder, and an iron chain wound about her wrist. That is what happened! Through what terrible phases had this tragical passion passed to be transformed into hatred? Through what had his hair turned white in two months? Why did he call her his executioner? How had they killed themselves—voluntarily, by mutual consent? Was it the chain about her wrist? I vainly sought a solution to this enigma. No one could give any information. The horrible dual tragedy had been performed without witnesses. Yet I succeeded in gathering some details of their last days. Half ruined by speculations in which he had involved himself to give her all the luxury she had lost for his sake, he resolved to commit suicide. To be able to carry out this plan, he asked her to go to Paris to make some purchases. She guessed his intention, and declared she would not leave him a moment but like with him if he died.

"So there was no question of an execution," said Goubaux. "She was a sacrifice, a voluntary sacrifice."

I don't exactly understand either. But who can say that the word does not refer to blind resignation and sacrifice? He was a good pedestrian and hunter; she was small, delicate, and, like many Parisian ladies, unable to walk two leagues. One morning, when the sunshine was asleep, he went to the forest with his gun on his shoulder. Five minutes after he met her at a turn of the road waiting for him. He angrily continued his expedition through the wood; she followed, panting for breath, weeping, with bruised feet, but still persisting, always keeping behind him, and this pursuit lasted several hours, at whose close she rushed forward clinging to him and declaring she would not leave him; he must kill her before he could kill himself. Their plan was formed that day. Their last hours were sorrowful ones. They sat down to the table at noon, but remained silent and grave; when the servants came to serve dinner, they found the breakfast untouched. At 9 o'clock August told his servants they might go to bed, and the long interview between the pair began again. A single candle lighted them. At 11 o'clock the man servant heard a noise in the dining-room. He rose, opened the window, looked down, and saw the window beneath open and the lovers come out. They went straight to the kennel, unfastened the watch-dog and took off his chain. Then August drew the key out of the door of the house and flung it over the garden wall. After this they walked up the long linden avenue leading to the summer-house. The servant saw them appear from time to time between the trees in the moonlight like two ghosts, or rather like two galley-slaves, for their hands were bound together by a chain. At last they disappeared in the park; the servant heard no more and went to sleep. An hour after he was roused by the barking of the dog, the crackling of flames, the noise of falling beams. The summer-house was burning. He hurried to the spot and the neighbors climbed the garden wall, but it was too late. The little pavilion was a mountain of fire. This is my story.

"A horrible one," cried Goubaux. "I'm sorry for the poor Watteau in this fearful tragedy. But what are we to get out of it for our play?"

"Only one detail, from which we will make our last two acts."

"What is that?"

"The husband's refusal to fight. That is a situation and a character."

Goubaux agreed. We set to work, and from this dates the most original figure for which the critics declared, the whole piece has been written.

As is evident, it is gratitude that compels me to award the anonymous co-worker his due. Yet I should not like to overestimate his services. He supplied the material, but there is much to be done to convert it into a work of art, or even an ordinary play.

A FRETFUL mother and cross child indicates ill health, which Hop Bitters will remove.

A good warm weather pie is made of the juice and rind of one lemon, one cup of raisins stoned and copped, one egg well beaten, one cup of sugar, two milk crackers soaked in three tablespoonfuls of milk of water; beat these all well together, bake in a quick oven. Make the pie with upper and under crusts.

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THE INDIAN AND THE TROUT.

The morning sun in splendor shone
On the mellow park of the Yellowstone.
The President at the break of day
Had packed his duds and moved away.
A brave Shoshone chief came out
With his willow pole to fish for trout.
It was half-past six when he cast his line,
And he kept on fishing till half-past nine;
And then he baited his hook anew
And patiently fished until half-past two—
The meanwhile swearing a powerful sight
For fishing all day with nary a bite.
And he swore and fished, and fished and swore
Till his Elgin watch toiled half-past four,
When a big fat trout came swimming by
And winked at the chief with his cold, sad eye;
"And do you reckon, you Pagan soul,
You can catch us trout with a willow pole?
The President taught us manners while
He fished for us in the latest style.
You've no idea how proud we feel
To be jerked ashore with a Frankfort reel!"

The red man gathered his dinner-pail
And started home by the shortest trail,
And he told his folks in Injun square he guessed
They'd better move still farther west,
Where Presidents didn't come fooling about,
Turning the heads of the giddy trout.

—[Chicago News.

THE "ENEMY."

How the Consciousness of Growing Old First Startles Us..

From the New York World.

How unlike women do men meet the enemy, Age! The first time that a man notices that the years are mastering him he is slightly surprised, but it never enters his mind to undertake to dodge old Father Time or to keep him at a respectful distance. He doesn't run up and down stairs as he once did. He grumbles as he gets ready to go to the theater, and declares he would rather stay at home. He wishes his wife were not always wanting to "gad somewhere." He avoids crowds, and begins to fulminate against high suppers. These changes of taste and habit come upon him so gradually that he never wonders at their appearance or thinks about what causes them.

One night he is at the theater, and before the curtain rises he is entertained in his indolence by the chatter of two youthful snips who sit just in front of him. They are exuberant as to spirits, empty-headed and long-tongued. They look at everything from a decided standpoint of extreme youth and mental shallowness. Their comments amuse the man behind them, and he smiles, half in pity for their lack of sophistication and half in pity for his own sad knowledge of life. Suddenly he hears his own name mentioned and is startled by the strangeness of it. It is the younger of the gabbers who refers to him, and the reference is surprising. The man of 40 hears himself spoken of by the boy of 17 as "Old Wilson," or whatever may be his surname.

The little three-lettered adjective falls upon him like a hundred-pound weight of astonishment. "Old Wilson," he repeats over and over to himself, trying to get accustomed to the queerness of the unflattering appellation. Sitting there in the blaze of the lights, with the theater full of people about him and the music filling the air with sentiment, he loses himself in reminiscences of his youth, which he never before dreamed had slipped away from him.

He does not hear the overture or see the curtain rise. He is away in the primrose spring, young again. He is retracing those forty years in memory. He is trying to think when he first noticed lines upon his face and silver in his hair. He is looking at himself mentally to see if he really is old. He thinks of his wife, does none, and that evening becomes to him forever afterwards the millstone which marks the boundary of his youth. He may have been old to others before, but never until then was he old to himself. He cannot think of it for a long while. Then a sinking of the heart. Strangely enough, he accepts the charge of being old without a disputatious word or thought. Never once does he say: "Oh, infidel mistake! Oh, pagan no such thing!"

The next time he finds himself protesting against some idle plan for recreation which he once delighted in he thinks of himself in his character of "Old Wilson," laughs gravely and says, a little sadly, that he believes he is getting old. From that time he speaks of it often and without violence to his feelings. His wife and daughter ways quite submissively and loosens his grip a little upon the world. He does not resent the usurpations of age. He submits because it is his destiny and because his religion and his philosophy both teach him that it is folly to fight the inevitable. But he never sits in a theater again that he does not experience anew that sudden sinking of the heart that followed hearing himself called old.

A woman, if she has any interest in life at all, fences with time and manages to keep a little ahead of the years. Oldness never takes her by surprise as it does a man. She knows that "the foe waits for her down at the end of life." She knows, too, that he is sure to send out his messengers to keep her apprised of the day he will claim her, and she meets them defiantly. They come in crow's feet and streaks in her hair; in a loss of color and disappearance of the elasticity of movement and fairness of outline. She is on the watch for them and she erases their tracks with the marvelous cunning of her sex.

At the first intimation that Time is penciling her face she throws a dash more of youthfulness into her attire and, if possible, a little more sweetness into her smile, and the effect is to show under the old thief's pencling. For awhile she laughs at the audacity of the wretch, as Love is said to laugh at locksmiths.

She sits in the theater and notices the fair, young faces here and there, and knows that Time is closing in on her, but she thinks to cheat him by assuming ignorance of his power and his intentions. She indulges in no spoken reminiscences, ceases to date her stories and begins to associate more with women a great deal younger than herself. When the crows' feet become noticeable she resorts to a mask veil which comes just to the lip of her nose and takes at least five years from her record. A little later and she makes her hat defy the threats of the enemy by a jauntier poise than ever. She fights the foe openly, cheats him with her cherished artifices, contests every step he takes and scorns him always. She never admits his mastery, as men do. The theology of the toilet tells her to resist Age and he will flee. This is a doctrine she faithfully lives up to. When she feels the weight of years upon her she affects not to know that Time, the all-devourer, is going to be the victor, and goes on as bravely does she fight him as though there was hope that she would win the day. When she can no longer defy him utterly she yields grimly to his dictation, though she never acknowledges his mastery.

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Without kisses entrancing as wine,
Without smiles I might do;
Without all for which others all pine—
I might do without you!

Adieu!
—[London Society.

LEADING LADY.

A Footlight Queen's Expenses—How a Husband May be Utilized.

From the N. Y. Morning Journal.

"You often talk," said a well-known actress the other day, "of the big salaries we get, but you fail in a great measure to take into account the expenses we are subjected to. One hundred dollars a week you consider good pay, but I can tell you it doesn't go far with the life we have to lead and the burdens we have to bear. If I could get $100 a week the year round I should have no cause to grumble. I don't know that I have much cause as it is, but I do resent the idea that is constantly being advanced by the papers that that is a great deal of money for the work we do. True, the actual work of the star is but three hours a day, perhaps four, considering that I have to be in my dressing-room one hour before the performance begins, and on an average I can get out by half-past eleven.

"First of all, an ordinary engagement runs from thirty to thirty-five weeks. If anything comes after that it is chance and a lucky one. A thirty-five weeks' engagement is a fair one to make an average upon. That is $3,500 a year. I make it about $70 a week. Now then I have a husband who, poor fellow, doesn't do much. How can he, when most of the time he has to look after me? The children compel us to keep a house in the city, and I must have a nurse to look after the children. I am away so much. Now you know that in a flat with a servant, a husband and two children it is the easiest thing in the world to get away with $40 or $50 a week.

"Even that would be all right, and I should have little to complain of if it were not that at any moment I must hold myself in readiness to be called away on a traveling tour. Do you know what that means? Well, we often travel pretty nearly all day, and I must pay for my own sleeping berth at night if I don't want to sit up. The manager does not pay for that, only for the regular fare in the regular car. Then I must pay my own hotel bill, on an average of three or three and a-half a day. The fare to and from the depot counts a good deal at the end of the week, and any little luxury is an additional and important expense. At any rate this traveling life runs away very easily with thirty-five or forty dollars a week, and the home in New York must be kept up all the time. You see there is not much left, is there, when the salary comes to be paid, and enough is put in the bank for the summer vacation?

"Then there is the important item of dresses. The manager furnishes none of the ordinary run of dresses, only when the waste something extraordinary to be done he contributes anything to the expense, and then there is always a lot of wrangling about it. My stage dresses cost me $500 easily in a season. I am lucky when that is all they come to. Besides, there are stage boots and stockings and wigs and gloves and toilet articles averaging, I should say, $7 or $8 a week. An actress earning $100 a week must keep up appearances. She must dress becomingly on the stage. On wet nights she must take a carriage home and occasionally, tired and hungry, she wants a bite of supper somewhere. Occasionally she advertises in the dramatic papers to keep her name before the managers who are stingiest, not to those who have the least talent, but to those who are least known.

"In the way of work, there is the terrible bore of rehearsals. You don't know what it means to be kept for six or seven hours day after day, sometimes for weeks, sitting around a cold, damp, ill-lighted stage. The indignities one has to suffer are nameless. Not always, but often most managers, you know, are not gentlemen."

"And yet young women want to be actresses?"

"I often wonder whether they have any idea what is in store for them. If I complain that my life is a hard one on $100, what must be the life of those who are paid $12, $20 and $30?"

"Does not the item of a husband make a difference?"

"No, except in the right way. When I married my husband was making $15 a week in a store. I was getting $25. He stayed at $15, I got up to a hundred. What is the use of his fooling his life out on such a salary when I have enough for both, and he can be of more than that value to me? He attends to all my business affairs and does them better than I could. If it were not for him I should now be getting about $50 a week. He knows the newspaper men and gets squibs in the press about me. He is at the theater to take me home, to do a thousand things without which an actress' life would be unbearable. People have all sorts of swindles ready for a rich woman. A man prevents them. If I didn't have him I should be living alone in an apology of a home, scandalized and talked about as all unmarried actresses are who talk to a gentleman more than once. I've seen so much of it, you know."

"The chances for advancement?"

"Well, they are few after a woman once gets into a leading position. I suppose with good luck I may go on increasing in value as I become more and more known, till I get $200 a week. Then if I have failed to become a star, and the chances of that are not many (there are about six successful female stars among 1,800 actresses in this country) I shall sink back suddenly to 'old woman parts.' In other words, I shall have lost the power to simulate youth. I shall be fat and my rouge will not conceal my wrinkles. Then they will offer me $40 or $50 a week to play the Marquise de St. Maurs and the Mrs. Malaprop. All the 'old women' on our stage were once leading ladies and can refer back to their triumphs in the Ophelias, Desdemonas and so forth. Oh, no, the way to take the stage is as a serious business, not as an amusement. It is a hard, unrelenting stepmother with no softness, no affection, no hope, but to the young novices, and they meet their disfranchisement in the first or second year upon it."

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TENNESSEE JOURNALISM.

Professionals Who Have no Desire to Engage in It.

From the Memphis Avalanche.

The city editor of the Avalanche having resigned on account of the inclemency of the atmospheric conditions in Memphis, the following circular was prepared by the management and sent to a number of well-known professional gentlemen:

"MEMPHIS, Sunday Morning, August 19.—DEAR SIR: We have just lost the services of our local hired man, and would be very happy to tender you the position made vacant by his departure. We want a reliable man. We give him all the swing he wants, like more swing he has the better. We don't desire to take any unfair advantage of you, and hence we advise you to read Mark Twain's essay on Tennessee journalism before you make up your mind to come. It will give you all the necessary points. If you have any fighting implements, bring 'em along; even if you have no use for 'em, old iron brings a round price in Memphis. We have a well-organized gun club—we mean press club—here, and you will find Memphis a most agreeable city. The newspaper men are a band of brothers. Will you meander into our field? You can command your own salary (if you can get it from the bookkeeper). Yours fraternally and professionally,

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The following telegraphic responses were promptly received, all of them being addressed to the editor of the Avalanche:

"Read your interesting paper with a great deal of relish; but, believe me, I cannot accept your flattering offer.

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"Excuse me.

ABABI PASHA."

"I have been here for several days, but prefer this climate to Memphis.

"CAREY."

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JIM MACE."

"I am perfectly content to rest upon my career in the late war.

U. S. GRANT."

"I am no longer in the ring.

"JOE COBURN."

"I don't want to tackle any job tougher than Sullivan.

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"I am satisfied to run my saloon.

PADDY RYAN."

"I am only a boxing-glove man.

"TUG WILSON."

"What do you take me for, young feller?

"BARNEY AARON."

"Life is too short.

IZZY LAZARUS."

"Your very handsome offer is at hand. I regret extremely that I cannot accept. I have never been unwilling to tackle Slade, Ryan, and others, but the life of a Memphis journalist is entirely too thrilling for me. The career of a literary man has too many dangers. Appreciating the compliment contained in your offer, I must respectfully decline. I have the honor to be your most obedient servant,

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RIDING THROUGH ENGLAND.

Senator Don Cameron Writes to His Father—An Interesting Letter.

From the Harrisburg (Pa.) Telegraph.

When Senator Cameron left this country it was well known that he went abroad in search of health, which he hoped to secure by an entire severance from the cares of an active business life, change of climate, mode of living, and even scenery and association. After his arrival in England he decided to take a conveyance and drive with his wife through England to Scotland. The following letter received recently by his venerable father, shows how he is spending his time in easy journeys through England, visiting by the way some of the places of interest and note, and regaining health and vigor. Though not intended for publication, we are sure the friends and neighbors of the Senator will peruse the letter with pleasure:

"WORCESTER, ENGLAND, Aug. 3, 1883.

"DEAR FATHER—We have now been two weeks on the road, and I am becoming more pleased with our experiment. The moderate fatigue gives one a healthy appetite and good sleep, and the country is so very beautiful that one cannot help but be in good spirits. We spent last Sunday at Bath. The bathing arrangements there are perfect, but the place has ceased to be fashionable, royalty and their followers now going to the German springs, where I don't believe they can be half so comfortable. From Bath we went to Bristol, but only stopped there to lunch and drove on to Chepston, crossing the river Severn by a steamer near its mouth, and then up the valley of Wye to Chepston, which is a very old and interesting town. The remains of the old castle, which cover about three acres of ground, are well worth a visit. On Tuesday we drove down to see an old ruined abbey at Tintern. It is perfectly beautiful. Both it and the old castle belong to the Duke of Beaufort, who seems to own the entire country. We drove the same afternoon to Monmouth through a beautiful country, and remained there all night, and on Wednesday went to Hereford. When we arrived there it happened to be market day, and the place was filled with farmers from the surrounding country. The cattle market, which was to be very fine, was over, but the general market was in full blast. We went through it, and I was surprised to find a well-dressed and very intelligent-looking lot of people sitting behind the stalls. The cathedral at Hereford is a very fine one, and has been very much restored during the last century. On Thursday we drove to Malvern, and staid there all night at one of the most attractive hotels I ever saw, the grounds of which slope very abruptly from the building, and are laid out in excellent taste. The view from the top of the hill of Malvern is grand. You see up and down the valley of the Severn for many miles, and every way you cast your eye the scene is beautiful. We left Malvern, which is only eight miles from here, at 11 o'clock this morning, and reached here in about an hour. I hired a one-horse trap this afternoon and drove 16 miles to see the mother of John Paget, the gardener at my Lochiel farm, near Harrisburg. I found her living with a daughter in a little brick cottage along the road-side. The old woman was overjoyed to see me, and did nothing but thank God and praise me for coming to see her. The daughter, a very intelligent woman, told me all about their affairs. They have a good garden and plenty of flowers, and make just enough to keep them, and are happy. The people everywhere through the country appear to be contented and all look as if they had enough to eat, and I am very sure they have plenty to drink. This is a great apple country, and the trees are loaded down with fruit. Many young orchards are being planted, and I am told they make great quantities of cider, and that the orchards are profitable. The cultivation of hops is a profitable business. I intend to make further inquiries about it. It seems to me that we ought to raise them with equal profit in our country. I am very sure that if we had persons who thoroughly understood taking care of sheep that we could make it pay, and at the same time improve our lands. I intend to hunt up a shepherd in Scotland and try it at Hunnelstown. My friend, Lord Kincaid, whom we are to visit when we get to Scotland, I am sure can get me a good man.

Every day that we travel I am delighted that we thought of this trip. I feel that it is doing me good in every way. I wish you were here; you would enjoy it. To-morrow we do up the cathedral here and visit the Royal Worcester China-works, which are said to be interesting. On Monday we go to Birmingham, and from there to Derby, and then north to Lancaster, Carlisle, and on to Scotland. So far we have been traveling west from London, but I am not sorry that we have lengthened the route, for every foot of it has given us pleasure. I have not seen an American paper for two weeks, and have forgotten all about politics. I saw a notice in the London Times of Montgomery Blair's death, and was very sorry to see it. I liked him very much. Remember me to all. Your affectionate son,

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AN UMBRELLA STORY.

The Embarrassment of a Paris Viscomte and What Caused It.

More than one amorous intrigue has begun under the shadow of an umbrella opportunely offered and gratefully accepted, and, I hasten to add, more than one mystification also. There was the case of the Viscomte de J., "handsome J.," the "whooping-cough of the ladies," as he is called by the pretty penitents of Sainte Clotilde and the Madeleine J., had a dose of umbrellas in one of his recent excursions among what he terms the "excentric quarters," meaning thereby all that part of Paris not inhabited by blue blood or its connections by marriage, into which he is wont to prowl occasionally when the hunting season is closed in those faubourgs where it is a recognized dogma that no woman can talk with this lady-killer for five minutes without capitulating as unconditionally as Davy Crockett's coon. On the particular day to which I here refer the irresistible viscomte had chosen the Boulevard Malesherbes as the theater of his operations, and, sauntering along the pavement, staring into every window in his usual quirens queue devora fashion, and was about to give it up, not satisfied with the result of his labors, when a heavy shower drove him for shelter under an open porte cochere. It was "awful hard times," thought the noble huntsman, who possessed just enough of the English tongue to be able to pretend to poliglotism when with those who possess nothing of it. He did not relish the inaction of a prolonged residence under that porte cochere, and relished still less his fellow-refugees, milliners' apprentices carrying home bandboxes and working men, for J. has a soul above milliners' apprentices, and loathes the odor of garlic generally pervading the persons of the callous-handed sons of toil. But he could not help himself; the rain came down in the true-cat and dog style, and he was growing desperate, when, oh joy! at a first-floor window over the way he spied a lovely female face, and on this point he could not be mistaken—it was looking straight at him, and seemed to smile. Leo snuffed the battle from afar and his heart beat high with hope, while his imagination sought earnestly for a convenient pretext on which to make a visit to the incognita, for sometimes there is an obnoxious husband or a brother who considers similiar intrusions as impetinent, and rumor hints that, not being precisely a hero, J. several times has been exiled rapidly and with a boot toe, and that once he did the Falstaff business in a clothes-press. But fortune often favors the brave, and she seemed to come to his aid very precisely on this occasion, as a servant in plain clothes crossed the street and courteously handed him an umbrella with Mme. X.'s compliments. I need not expatiate upon J.'s feelings, they were ecstatic; this delicate, yet modest, attention on the part of the lady was more than he could have dared to hope. She had spontaneously given him the desired pretext, for, as common politeness forbade him to refuse the umbrella, so common politeness exacted that he should bring it back next day and return thanks in person.

Experience had convinced him of his irresistibility, and, once within the citadel, he felt sure that the garrison must surrender at discretion. So he accepted the umbrella, developed it with his customary elegance, cast a farewell but discreet glance at the fair donor, pressed his gloved fingers upon his heart, and with a silent smile tripped lightly away, thanking heaven, as Titus used to do, that he had lost a day. The morrow dawned bright and cloudless, not a symptom of rain upon the horizon, and again he tripped lightly over the Malesherbes asphaltum. He rang. He was admitted—this time his cry was on felicity! Yes, Mme. X. was in and would receive him; would monsieur be pleased to walk in—this from the lady's girl who opened the door. "Ah, you are the gentleman who was under the porte cochere opposite during the storm of yesterday"—this from the lady. "It was I, madame, and if a heart's——" With a smile she interrupted him. "Evidently you have not understood why I sent you the umbrella?" He said he did not, unless it was to procure him the ineffable pleasure of bringing it back. "Nothing of the kind, sir; it was simply because I was expecting a visit which your obstinate examination of my windows might have prevented. Good morning."

The viscomte left hurriedly, and since then has abandoned the "excentric quarters" of Malesherbes and Haussmann, where his charms are less appreciated than on the other bank of the shiny river. He has also vowed undying hatred to the institution of umbrellas, and last week, at the Dienville race meeting, spite of the deluge, was in the grand stand without one, to the infinite horror of all his vilan and gratin associates, who had come there properly provided as the laws of fashion do prescribe.

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THE ANNAMITES

Their Men and Women—How They Look and Live at Home.

Correspondent of the London News.

A stranger is puzzled to discover among the Annamites which are the men and which the women. Their costume defies all attempts to discover the sex of the wearer. And when one feels most certain he has made a correct guess, most certain is he to find himself wrong—a condition of things at once embarrassing and ridiculous. The dress consists of a loose pair of white trousers and a short white jacket. Over all is worn a long, neat coat, close fitting at the throat and reaching to within a few inches of the ground. The coat is open on either side from the waist downward. The garment has no variation in pattern or difference in length for either sex. It is nearly all made of cloth of the same description, quality and color (bluish black.) A turban, made of the same material as the long coat and worn much in the same way as Hindoos of Bombay wear theirs, completes a costume which many commend itself to any one for neatness, modesty and coolness.

THE WOMEN.

The Annamite women, though not of a highly moral type, are averse to more personal display than is necessary. The Annamites are surpassingly fair for Asiatics. But if there is a charm in an Annamite face the charm vanishes when the owner of the face opens his lips. In the first place the teeth are disgusting in their discoloration, the result of too free indulgence in betel chewing; but the disenchantment is complete when the person talks. Each word grates on one's ear from its utter harshness. It is not, however, till a couple of women begin to wrangle within twenty yards of one that the jarring effect of a harth, unmusical tongue is felt. I can liken the noise to nothing except the short, snappish yelp of a puppy when disturbed in his enjoyment of a bone. Imagine the effect produced when two quarrelsome women gather round them a crowd of interested spectators, who shortly take sides and help in the discussion.

TRADE.

The houses are wretched little concerns, constructed (I cannot say built) of of a few leaves and bamboos; but, wretched as they are, those who live in them seem contented enough. I ought to add that lots of this description are not allowed in Saignon. The annamites do not appear to have developed any attachment for trading—perhaps they find Johnny Chinaman one too many for them. Be that as it may, the trade of the port is in the hands entirely of Europeans and and Chinese. The former are represented mainly by an English and a German firm. Incredible af it may seem, Scotland has sent none of her sons to pile up the bawbees in this colony. Peahaps some one versed in the intricacies of the why and wherefore of everything will be good enough to account for Sandy's absence from a port which wants only an influx of capital to make it one of the busiest places in the East. But there's the rub. Capital will not find its way to Cochin China until merchants' minds are disabuted of the idea that the French local government looks with suspicion on any enterprise that is not worked under French auspices and with French capital. A writer in a recent issue of a French journal, in questioning the wisdom of France extending her colonies in the East, candidly admits that she is only striving after territory in order to on-efit other nations. A return lately published shows that of the shipping which visits Saignon less than a tenth sails under the tricolor, while the import and export trade in French hands forms a small a part of the entire trade as to be practically unworthy of notice.

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A passenger was dropped at the corner, and as the car started on again the driver went on:

"Well, one day when the boys had bothered me more than usual, I dodged through the car and found a little bit of a chap, not over 7 years old, seated on the lower step. He was all humped over and softly crying about something or other. At another time I might have felt pity, but the boys had got my mad up, and what did I do but give the little chap a cut with the lash and call out with such a voice that off he tumbled into the dust. I saw him rise up and limp away, and there was something in the look he gave me that I shan't forget in a hurry. Whoa! now!"

The car stopped to take on two ladies, and presently the driver resumed:

"Do you know that I felt so conscience-stricken that I kept looking for that boy on every trip, calculating to make up with him and secure his forgiveness for my brutality. I did not see him again until the afternoon of the second day."

"And what did he say?" was asked as the driver hesitated.

"He was in his coffin," was the reply. "It was his funeral procession which stopped my car for two or three minutes. That child was ill when he tried to steal his way home with me, and death was not twenty-fours away when I lashed him and chuckled over the way he rolled into the street. I tell you, sir, when I saw his coffin in the hearse, and caught a look from the mother, which seemed to charge me with being his murderer, I got a stab at my heart that pains me yet, and I wouldn't strike another boy if the reward was to be the whole line and its outfit."

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No. 14,781 of Estate.

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John Hanlon,

deceased, and that I did so on the 31st day of August, 1883, for the purpose of administering on the same.

All persons having claims against said estate are required to exhibit the same to the undersigned, for allowance, within one year after the date of said letters, or they may be precluded from any benefit of said estate; and if such claims be not exhibited within two years from the date of this publication, they will be forever barred.

MARTROM D. LEWIS,
Public Administrator for the City of St. Louis. Office, 615 Chestnut street, 2d floor.
St. Louis, Mo., September 1, 1883.

No. 14,770 of Estate.

PUBLIC ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE OF LETTERS.—In re estate of Thomas Rourke, deceased.—Notice is hereby given that I have taken charge of the estate of

Thomas Rourke,

deceased, and that I did so on the first day of August, 1883, for the purpose of administering on the same.

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PUBLIC ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE OF LETTERS.—In re estate of Mary Holland, alias Mary Hallenan, deceased. Notice is hereby given that I have taken charge of the estate of

Mary Holland, alias Mary Hallenan,

deceased, and that I did so on the 20th day of August, 1883, for the purpose of administering on the same.

All persons having claims against said estate are required to exhibit the same to the undersigned for allowance within one year after the date of said letters, or they may be precluded from any benefit of said estate; and if such claims be not exhibited within two years from the date of this publication, they will be forever barred.

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St. Louis, Mo., September 1, 1883.

No. 14,780 of Estate.

PUBLIC ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE OF LETTERS.—In re estate of August Dunkel, deceased.—Notice is hereby given that I have taken charge of the estate of

August Dunkel,

deceased, and that I did so on the seventeenth day of August, 1883, for the purpose of administering on the same.

All persons having claims against said estate are required to exhibit the same to the undersigned for allowance within one year after the date of said letters, or they may be precluded from any benefit of said estate; and if such claims be not exhibited within two years from the date of this publication, they will be forever barred.

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Public Administrator for the City of St. Louis, Office, 615 Chestnut st., second floor.
St. Louis, Mo., September 1, 1883.

ESTATE NOTICES

ESTATE of Gerhard H. Ostermann, deceased.—Notice is hereby given that letters of administration on the estate of

Gerhard H. Ostermann,

deceased, were granted to the undersigned by the Probate Court of the City of St. Louis, on the third day of August, 1883.

All persons having claims against said estate are required to exhibit the same to the undersigned for allowance, within one year after the date of said letters, or they may be precluded from any benefit of said estate, and if such claims be not exhibited within two years from the date of this publication, they will be forever barred.

Dated this 3d day of August, 1883.

JOHN J. OSTERMANN, Administrator.

ESTATE of Charlotte Gehner, deceased. Notice is hereby given that letters testamentary on the estate of

Charlotte Gehner,

deceased, were granted to the undersigned by the Probate Court of the City of St. Louis, on the sixth day of August, 1883.

All persons having claims against said estate are required to exhibit the same to the undersigned for allowance, within one year after the date of said letters, or they may be precluded from any benefit of said estate; and if such claims be not exhibited within two years from the date of this publication, they will be forever barred.

Dated this 6th day of August, 1883.

PHILIP STREMMEL,
Executor.

PARTNERSHIP NOTICE.

PARTNERSHIP ESTATE OF Charles Habicht & Co.—Notice is hereby given that the undersigned have been and qualified as surviving partners of the late firm of Charles Habicht & Co (which was composed of themselves and Frederick Samesreuther, now deceased), in the Probate Court of the City of St. Louis, on the 8th day of August, 1883.

All persons having claims against said partnership estate are required to exhibit the same to the undersigned for allowance, within one year after the date of said qualification, or they may be precluded from any benefit of said estate, and if such claims be not exhibited within two years from the day of this publication they will be forever barred.

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State of Missouri, City of St. Louis—ss.
In the Circuit Court City of St. Louis,
June Term, 1883.
Saturday, July 21, 1883.
Clarissa Pollard,
vs.
George Pollard.

It appearing from the affidavit this day filed in this cause that the defendant is a non-resident of the State of Missouri, therefore, on motion of plaintiff by attorney,

It is ordered that said defendant be notified that a civil action has been commenced against him, the object and general nature of which is to obtain a decree of divorce from the bonds of matrimony existing between plaintiff and defendant, on the grounds of the defendant's desertion, cruel treatment and adultery.

And unless he appear at the term of this court to be begun and held at the city of St. Louis on the first Monday of October next, and on or before the third day thereof answer the plaintiff's petition, the same will be taken against him as confessed.

And it is further ordered that a copy hereof be published according to law in the St. Louis Post-Dispatch, a newspaper printed and published in the city of St. Louis.

Witness my hand and seal of the Circuit Court City of St. Louis, this 23d day of July, 1883.

(L.S.) CHAS. F. VOGEL, Clerk.

ORDER OF PUBLICATION.

State of Missouri, City of St. Louis—ss.
In the Circuit Court City of St. Louis,
In Vacation of June Term, 1883,
Friday, August 10, 1883.
Sally Williams,
vs.
Robert Williams.

The plaintiff comes by her attorney and files a petition and affidavit, from which it appears that one of the defendant's residents of the State of Missouri, wherefore, on her motion by attorney,

It is ordered that said defendant be notified that a civil action has been commenced against him, the object and general nature of which is to obtain a decree of divorce from the bonds of matrimony existing between plaintiff and defendant, on the ground that the defendant has absented himself from her the space of two years next before the filing of said petition, and has failed to provide for the support of plaintiff since the fall of the year 1876.

And unless he appear at the term of this court to be begun and held at the city of St. Louis on the first Monday of October next, and on or before the third day thereof answer the plaintiff's petition, the same will be taken against him as confessed.

And it is further ordered that a copy hereof be published according to law in the St. Louis Post-Dispatch, a newspaper printed and published in the city of St. Louis.

Witness my hand and seal of the Circuit Court City of St. Louis, this 10th day of August, 1883.

(L.S.) CHAS. F. VOGEL, Clerk.

ORDER OF PUBLICATION.

State of Missouri, City of St. Louis—ss.
In the Circuit Court City of St. Louis,
In Vacation of June Term, 1883.
Wednesday, August 8, 1883.
Joseph B. Van Arsdel
vs.
Mary E. Van Arsdel.

The plaintiff comes by his attorney, and files a petition and affidavit from which it appears that the defendant is not a resident of the State of Missouri, wherefore, on motion of said plaintiff, by his attorney.

It is ordered that said defendant be notified that a civil action has been commenced against her, the object and general nature of which is to obtain a decree of divorce from the bonds of matrimony existing between plaintiff and defendant, on the ground that the defendant has without reasonable cause abandoned plaintiff and has absented herself from the plaintiff without a reasonable cause for the space of one year, to-wit: Since 1st day of August, A. D., 1882.

And unless she appear at the term of this court to be begun and held at the city of St. Louis on the first Monday of October next, and on or before the third day thereof answer the plaintiff's petition, the same will be taken against her as confessed.

And it is further ordered that a copy hereof be published according to law in the St. Louis Post-Dispatch, a newspaper printed and published in the city of St. Louis.

Witness my hand and seal of the Circuit Court City of St. Louis, this 8th day of August, 1883.

(L.S.) CHAS. F. VOGEL, Clerk.
Ford Smith, Plaintiff's Attorney.

ORDER OF PUBLICATION.

State of Missouri, City of St. Louis—ss.
In the Circuit Court City of St. Louis,
June Term, 1883.
Friday, July 6, 1883.
Abraham Frank, Augustus Frank, Lewis Frank and Joseph Frank, partners, etc.,
vs.
Drury Wilkerson and James K. Stephens, partners, etc.
No. 60,939.

Now at this day, it appearing to the court that the order of publication made in this cause on April 16, 1883, has not been executed, and it also appearing from an affidavit filed herein, that the defendants are now residents of the State of Missouri, thereupon, on motion of the plaintiffs, by their attorneys,

It is ordered that said order of publication be renewed, and that the defendants be notified that a civil action has been commenced against them for the sum of five hundred and seventy-two and 18-100 dollars on account of dry goods and notions sold and delivered by said plaintiffs to the defendants as copartners, and that their property has been attached.

And unless they appear at the term of this court to be begun and held at the city of St. Louis on the first Monday of October next, and on or before the third day thereof answer to the action aforesaid according to law, judgment will be rendered against them and their property has to satisfy the same.

And it is further ordered that a copy hereof be published according to law in the St. Louis Post-Dispatch, a newspaper printed and published in the city of St. Louis.

A true copy from the record.
Witness my hand and seal of the Circuit Court City of St. Louis, this 9th day of July, 1883.

(L.S.) CHAS. F. VOGEL, Clerk.
F. B. Harvey, plaintiff's attorney.

ORDER OF PUBLICATION.

State of Missouri, City of St. Louis—ss.
In the Circuit Court City of St. Louis,
In Vacation of June Term, 1883.
Wednesday, August 8, 1883.
Johanna Christina Richter
vs.
Herman Richter.

The plaintiff comes, by her attorney, and files a petition, duly verified by affidavit, from which it appears that the defendant has absented himself from his usual place of abode in this State, so that the ordinary process of law cannot be served upon him, wherefore,

It is ordered that said defendant be notified that a civil action has been commenced against him, the object and general nature of which is to obtain a decree of divorce from the bonds of matrimony existing between plaintiff and defendant, on the ground that the defendant has, without reasonable cause, deserted said plaintiff, and absented himself from her for the period of more than one year next before the filing of said petition;

And unless he appear at the term of this court to be begun and held at the city of St. Louis on the first Monday of October next, and on or before the third day thereof answer the plaintiff's petition, the same will be taken against him as confessed.

And it is further ordered that a copy hereof be published according to law in the St. Louis Post-Dispatch, a newspaper printed and published in the city of St. Louis.

A true copy from the record.
Witness my hand and seal of the Circuit Court City of St. Louis, this 8th day of August, 1883.

(L.S.) CHAS. F. VOGEL, Clerk.
Louis Georgeus, Plaintiff's Attorney.

ORDER OF PUBLICATION.

State of Missouri, City of St. Louis—ss.
In the Probate Court for the City of St. Louis,
June Term, 1883.
Wednesday, July 25, A. D. 1883.
Estate of Duncan S. Carter.

Now, at this day comes Leicester Babcock, administrator, with the will annexed, of the estate of Duncan S. Carter, deceased, and presents to the court his petition praying for an order for the sale of so much of the real estate of said deceased as will be sufficient to satisfy the remaining debts due by said estate and yet unpaid for want of sufficient assets, accompanied by the accounts, lists and inventories required by law in such case, on examination whereof

It is ordered that all persons interested in the estate of said deceased be notified that application, as aforesaid, has been made, and that, unless the contrary be shown on or before the first day of the next term of this court, to be begun and held at the city of St. Louis, within and for the said city of St. Louis, on the second Monday of September next, an order will be made for the sale of the whole or so much of the real estate of said deceased as will be sufficient for the payment of said debts.

And it is further ordered that a copy hereof be published in some newspaper printed in the city of St. Louis aforesaid for four weeks before the next term of this court.

A true copy from the record.
Witness my hand and the seal of the Probate Court of the City of St. Louis hereto affixed, this 25th day of July, 1883.

(L. S.) W. E. WAGNER, Clerk.

ORDER OF PUBLICATION.

State of Missouri, City of St. Louis—ss.
In the Circuit Court City of St. Louis,
In Vacation of June Term, 1883.
Tuesday, August 7, 1883.
Peter I. Nevius and William M. Gawtry,
vs.
Sylvanus F. Jenkins, Archibald Maclay and George W. Bull.
No. 216 October Term, 1883.

It appearing from the affidavit this day filed in this cause that the defendant, are non-residents of the State of Missouri, therefore, on motion of plaintiff by attorney,

It is ordered that said defendants be notified that a civil action has been commenced against them, the object and general nature of which is to obtain a decree in partition of a certain parcel of land and premises situate in the City of St. Louis, Missouri, and described in the petition herein as follows, to wit:

A lot, ground or tract of land in City block 898 of St. Louis, described as follows. Commencing at the intersection of the western line of Decatur street with the southern line of Lami street and extending southwardly with the western line of Decatur street 84 feet 6 inches to the southern line of the Chouteau and Walker tract, thence westwardly along said last mentioned line on the northern line of a strip of land conveyed by said William M. Gawtry 22 feet 1½ inches to the eastern line of the St. Louis city commons, thence northwardly along the said eastern line 265 feet 1½ inches to Lami street, thence eastwardly along the southern line of Lami street 33 feet 5 inches to the place of beginning, and if said property be not susceptible of partition, then for an order of sale and such further order as may be meet.

And unless they appear at the term of this court to be begun and held at the city of St. Louis on the first Monday of October next, and on or before the third day thereof answer the plaintiff's petition, the same will be taken against them as confessed.

And it is further ordered that a copy hereof be published according to law in the St. Louis Post-Dispatch, a newspaper printed and published in the city of St. Louis.

A true copy from the record.
Witness my hand and seal of the Circuit Court City of St. Louis, this 13th day of July, 1883.

(L. S.) CHAS. F. VOGEL, Clerk.

ORDER OF PUBLICATION.

State of Missouri, City of St. Louis—ss.
The Academy of Science of St. Louis, William Lucas, John B. Lucas, Robert J. Lucas, Joseph D. Lucas, Henry V. Lucas, James D. Lucas, John B. Johnson and Nancy L., his wife, John S. Hager and Elizabeth L., his wife, George Engelmann, Peter L. Foy, Albert Todd, Jeremiah S. B. Alleyn and Oscar W. Collett.
No. 61,788.

It appearing from the affidavit to the amended petition this day, by leave of court, filed in this cause, that defendants, John S. Hager and Elizabeth L. Hager, his wife, and William Lucas, are non-residents of the State of Missouri, upon motion of plaintiff, by attorney,

It is ordered that said defendants be notified that a civil action has been commenced against them, the object and general nature of which is to obtain a decree in partition and an order for the sale of certain real estate and a division of the proceeds thereof between said plaintiff and the Academy of Science of St. Louis, co-defendant herein, said real estate being in said amended petition described as follows, to-wit:

A certain lot or parcel of ground situate on the south side of Locust street in block numbered 35 of the city of St. Louis, State of Missouri, containing a front of 40 feet on said south side by a depth, southwardly of 166 11-12 feet to an alley 20 feet wide and bounded on the west by the lot of ground occupied and confined for "Christ Church" so-called.

And unless they appear at the term of this court to be begun and held at the city of St. Louis on the first Monday of October next, and on or before the third day thereof answer the plaintiff's petition, the same will be taken against them as confessed.

And it is further ordered that a copy hereof be published according to law in the St. Louis Post-Dispatch, a newspaper printed and published in the city of St. Louis.

A true copy from the record.
Witness my hand and seal of the Circuit Court City of St. Louis, this 12th day of July, 1883.

(L. S.) CHAS. F. VOGEL, Clerk.
J.M. & C. H. Krum, Attorneys for Plaintiffs.

ORDER OF PUBLICATION.

State of Missouri, City of St. Louis—ss.
In the Circuit Court City of St. Louis,
June Term, 1882.
Monday, July 9, 1883.
Jane E. Flint
vs.
Mary Ann Sherlock, et al.
No. 61,101.

It appearing to the court, from the petition, herein (which is verified by affidavit), that the defendants, Mary Ann Sherlock and James H. Sherlock, her husband, Margaret Theresa O'Regan, now Margaret Theresa ——, and ——, her husband, Peter O'Regan and Anu O'Regan, are non-residents of the State of Missouri, therefore,on motion of plaintiff by attorney,

It is ordered that said defendants, as well as the defendants, the unknown heirs of John H. McAlpine, deceased, be notified that a civil action has been commenced against them, the object and general nature of which is to obtain a partition among the parties to this action, of the following described real estate, situated in the city of St. Louis and State of Missouri, to-wit: A lot in block 356 of said city, having a front of 40 feet on the east line of Eleventh street, and a depth between lines parallel with Franklin street, of 75 feet, which property was acquired by said Mary Ann from John Cox and Wm. C. Prewitt and wife, by deeds dated February 18, 1875,and March 29, 1875, and recorded in book 51, page 499, and book 518, page 340, Recorder's office, city of St. Louis, together with the improvements thereon, consisting of a two-story brick dwellings numbered 2908 and 2910 North Eleventh street. Also lots No. 28 and 27 of block No. 1 of Park addition, being in block No. 463 of said city, together fifty feet on the east line of Eighth street, by a depth eastwardly to an alley on the north line of Rutger street of 120 feet, which was acquired by said McAlpine from H. L. Brolaski and wife, by deed dated October 1, 1873, and recorded in book 477, page 345, Recorder's office, city of St. Louis, together with the improvements thereon, consisting of 7 three-story brick dwellings Nos. 712, 714, 716, 718, 720, 722 and 724 Rutger street, and for an order for the sale of said real estate if the same cannot be partitioned in kind.

And unless they appear at the term of this court to be begun and held at the city of St. Louis on the first Monday of October next,and on or before the third day thereof answer the plaintiff's petition, the same will be taken against them as confessed.

And it is further ordered that a copy hereof be published according to law in the St. Louis Post-Dispatch, a newspaper printed and published in the city of St. Louis.

A true copy from the record.
Witness my hand and seal of the Circuit Court City of St. Louis, this 23d day of July, 1883.

(L. S.) CHAS. F. VOGEL, Clerk.

ORDER OF PUBLICATION.

State of Missouri, City of St. Louis—ss.
The Missouri Historical Society,
vs.
The Academy of Science of St. Louis, William Lucas, John B. Lucas, Robert J. Lucas, Joseph D. Lucas, Henry V. Lucas, James D. Lucas, John B. Johnson and Nancy L., his wife, John S. Hager and Elizabeth L., his wife, George Engelmann, Peter L. Foy, Albert Todd, Jeremiah S. B. Alleyn and Oscar W. Collett.
No. 61,788.

It appearing from the affidavit to the amended petition this day, by leave of court, filed in this cause, that defendants, John S. Hager and Elizabeth L. Hager, his wife, and William Lucas,are non-residents of the State of Missouri, upon motion of plaintiff, by attorney,

It is ordered that said defendants be notified that a civil action has been commenced against them, the object and general nature of which is to obtain a decree of divorce from the bonds of matrimony existing between said plaintiff and the Academy of Science of St. Louis, co-defendant herein, said real estate being in said amended petition described as follows, to-wit:

A certain lot or parcel of ground situate on the south side of Locust street in block numbered 35 of the city of St. Louis, State of Missouri, containing a front of 40 feet on said south side by a depth, southwardly of 166 11-12 feet to an alley 20 feet wide and bounded on the west by the lot of ground occupied and confined for "Christ Church" so-called.

And unless they appear at the term of this court to be begun and held at the city of St. Louis on the first Monday of October next, and on or before the third day thereof answer the plaintiff's petition, the same will be taken against them as confessed.

And it is further ordered that a copy hereof be published according to law in the St. Louis Post-Dispatch, a newspaper printed and published in the city of St. Louis.

A true copy from the record.
Witness my hand and seal of the Circuit Court City of St. Louis, this 23d day of July, 1883.

(L. S.) CHAS. F. VOGEL, Clerk.

ORDER OF PUBLICATION.

State of Missouri, City of St. Louis—ss.
In the Circuit Court City of St. Louis,
In Vacation of June Term, 1883.
Wednesday, August 8, 1883.
Sylvanus F. Jenkins, Archibald Maclay and George W. Bull,
vs.
Robt. J. Canning.

It appearing from the petition of the plaintiff, herein duly verified by affidavit, that the defendant is a non-resident of the State of Missouri, therefore, on motion of said plaintiff by her attorney,

It is ordered that said defendant be notified that a civil action has been commenced against him, the object and general nature of which is to obtain a decree of divorce from the bonds of matrimony existing between said plaintiff and defendant on the ground that the defendant for some time prior to July 21, 1882, failed, neglected and refused to provide and furnish her any means of livelihood, and has abandoned plaintiff without reasonable cause for the space of more than two years next before the commencement of this suit, and has offered her such indignities as to render her condition intolerable, by cursing and abusing her.

And unless he appear at the term of this court to be begun and held at the city of St. Louis on the first Monday of October next, and on or before the third day thereof answer the plaintiff's petition, the same will be taken against him as confessed.

And it is further ordered that a copy hereof be published according to law in the St. Louis Post-Dispatch, a newspaper printed and published in the city of St. Louis.

A true copy from the record.
Witness my hand and seal of the Circuit Court City of St. Louis, this 8th day of August, 1883.

(L. S.) CHAS. F. VOGEL, Clerk.
Thos. C. Fletcher, attorney.

ORDER OF PUBLICATION.

State of Missouri, City of St. Louis—ss.
In the Circuit Court City of St. Louis,
June Term, 1883.
Friday, August 3, 1883.
Mary Burchardt
vs.
Gustav Burchardt.

It appearing from the affidavit to plaintiff's petition that the defendant is a non-resident of the State of Missouri, therefore on motion of said plaintiff, by his attorney

It is ordered that said defendant be notified that a civil action has been commenced against him, the object and general nature of which is to obtain a decree of divorce from the bonds of matrimony existing between plaintiff and defendant, on the grounds of habitual drunkenness and indignities.

And unless he appear at the term of this court to be begun and held at the city of St. Louis on the first Monday of October next, and on or before the third day thereof answer the plaintiff's petition, the same will be taken against him as confessed.

And it is further ordered that a copy hereof be published according to law in the St. Louis Post-Dispatch, a newspaper printed and published in the city of St. Louis.

A true copy from the record.
Witness my hand and seal of the Circuit Court City of St. Louis, this 8th day of August, 1883.

(L. S.) CHAS. F. VOGEL, Clerk.
James M. Loring, Plaintiff's Attorney.

ORDER OF PUBLICATION.

State of Missouri, City of St. Louis—ss.
In the Circuit Court City of St. Louis,
June Term, 1883.
Tuesday, August 7, 1883.
Christine Ludwig, Gustav Ludwig, Martin Stahl, Margaretha Magdalene Welck, John Welck, Rosine Bergmann and Benjamin Bergmann.
vs.
William Stahl and John George Stahl.

It appearing from the affidavit to plaintiffs' petition that the defendant, William Stahl, is a non-resident of the State of Missouri, therefore, on motion of the plaintiffs by their attorney,

It is ordered that said defendant be notified that a civil action has been commenced against the defendants, the object and general nature of which is to obtain a decree of divorce from the bonds of matrimony existing between plaintiff and defendant, on the ground that the defendant has without reasonable cause, deserted said plaintiff and absented himself from her without reasonable cause, for the space of more than one year before the filing of said petition.

And unless he appear at the term of this court to be begun and held at the city of St. Louis on the first Monday of October next, and on or before the third day thereof answer the plaintiff's petition, the same will be taken against him as confessed.

And it is further ordered that a copy hereof be published according to law in the St. Louis Post-Dispatch, a newspaper printed and published in the city of St. Louis.

A true copy from the record.
Witness my hand and seal of the Circuit Court City of St. Louis, this 8th day of August, 1883.

(L. S.) CHAS. F. VOGEL, Clerk.
Henry Boemler, Plaintiff's Attorney.

ORDER OF PUBLICATION.

State of Missouri, City of St. Louis—ss.
In the Circuit Court City of St. Louis,
June Term, 1883.
Wednesday, August 1, 1883.
Mary Craig
vs.
Richard Craig.
vs.
Georgiana Craig.

It appearing from the petition of the plaintiff, herein duly verified by affidavit, that the defendant is a non-resident of the State of Missouri, therefore, on motion of the plaintiff by attorney,

It is ordered that said defendant be notified that a civil action has been commenced against her, the object and general nature of which is to obtain a decree of divorce from the bonds of matrimony existing between plaintiff and defendant on the ground that the defendant has without reasonable cause abandoned plaintiff and has absented herself from the plaintiff without a reasonable cause for the space of one year, to-wit: Since last day of August, A. D., 1882.

And unless she appear at the term of this court to be begun and held at the city of St. Louis on the first Monday of October next, and on or before the third day thereof answer the plaintiff's petition, the same will be taken against her as confessed.

And it is further ordered that a copy hereof be published according to law in the St. Louis Post-Dispatch, a newspaper printed and published in the city of St. Louis.

Witness my hand and seal of the Circuit Court City of St. Louis, this 8th day of August, 1883.

(L.S.) CHAS. F. VOGEL, Clerk.
Louis Georgeus, Plaintiff's Attorney.

ORDER OF PUBLICATION.

State of Missouri, City of St. Louis—ss.
In the Probate Court for the City of St. Louis,
June Term, 1883.
Wednesday, July 25, A. D. 1883.
Estate of Duncan S. Carter.

Now at this day comes Leicester Babcock, administrator of the estate of Duncan S. Carter, deceased, and presents to the court his petition praying for an order for the sale of so much of the real estate of said deceased as will pay and satisfy the remaining debts due by said estate and yet unpaid for want of sufficient assets, accompanied by the accounts, lists and inventories required by law in such case, on examination whereof

It is ordered that all persons interested in the estate of said deceased be notified that application, as aforesaid, has been made, and that, unless the contrary be shown on or before the first day of the next term of this court, to be begun and held at the city of St. Louis, within and for the said city of St. Louis, on the second Monday of September next, an order will be made for the sale of the whole or so much of the real estate of said deceased as will be sufficient for the payment of said debts.

And it is further ordered that a copy hereof be published in some newspaper printed in the city of St. Louis aforesaid for four weeks before the next term of this court.

A true copy from the record.
Witness my hand and the seal of the Probate Court of the City of St. Louis, hereto affixed this 25th day of July, 1883.

(L. S.) W. E. WAGNER, Clerk.

ORDER OF PUBLICATION.

State of Missouri, City of St. Louis—ss.
In the Circuit Court City of St. Louis,
June Term, 1883.
Tuesday, August 7, 1883.
Minnie Canning
vs.
Rent. J. Canning.

It appearing from the petition of the plaintiff, herein duly verified by affidavit, that the defendant is a non-resident of the State of Missouri, therefore, on motion of said plaintiff by her attorney,

It is ordered that said defendant be notified that a civil action has been commenced against him, the object and general nature of which is to obtain a decree of divorce from the bonds of matrimony existing between plaintiff and defendant, on the grounds of habitual drunkenness and indignities.

And unless he appear at the term of this court to be begun and held at the city of St. Louis on the first Monday of October next, and on or before the third day thereof answer the plaintiff's petition, the same will be taken against him as confessed.

And it is further ordered that a copy hereof be published according to law in the St. Louis Post-Dispatch, a newspaper printed and published in the city of St. Louis.

A true copy from the record.
Witness my hand and seal of the Circuit Court City of St. Louis, this 8th day of August, 1883.

(L. S.) CHAS. F. VOGEL, Clerk.
Frederick Gottschalk, Attorney.

ORDER OF PUBLICATION.

State of Missouri, City of St. Louis—ss.
In the Circuit Court City of St. Louis,
June Term, 1883.
Friday, August 3, 1883.
Magdalena Hoffmann
vs.
Ludwig Hoffmann.
No. 61,416.

It appearing from the additional affidavit filed herein on the 12th day of April, 1883, that the defendant is not a resident of the State of Missouri; therefore, on motion of said plaintiff by attorney,

It is ordered that said defendant be notified that a civil suit has been commenced against him, the object and general nature of which is to obtain a decree of divorce from the bonds of matrimony existing between said plaintiff and defendant on the ground that the defendant for some time prior to July 21, 1882, failed, neglected and refused to provide and furnish her any means of livelihood, and has abandoned plaintiff without reasonable cause for the space of more than two years next before the commencement of this suit, and has offered her such indignities as to render her condition intolerable, by cursing and abusing her.

And unless he appear at the term of this court to be begun and held at the city of St. Louis on the first Monday of October next, and on or before the third day thereof answer the plaintiff's petition, the same will be taken against him as confessed.

And it is further ordered that a copy hereof be published according to law in the St. Louis Post-Dispatch, a newspaper printed and published in the city of St. Louis.

A true copy from the record.
Witness my hand and seal of the Circuit Court City of St. Louis, this 8th day of August, 1883.

(L. S.) CHAS. F. VOGEL, Clerk.

ORDER OF PUBLICATION.

State of Missouri, City of St. Louis—ss.
In the Circuit Court City of St. Louis,
June Term, 1883.
Thursday, August 7, 1883.
Annie M. S. Straszacker
vs.
William Straszacker.

It appearing from the affidavit to the plaintiff's petition that the defendant is a non-resident of the State of Missouri, therefore, on motion of plaintiff by attorney

It is ordered that said defendant be notified that a civil action has been commenced against him, the object and general nature of which is to obtain a decree of divorce from the bonds of matrimony existing between the plaintiff and defendant on the grounds that the defendant has, without reasonable cause, deserted said plaintiff and has remained away from her for the period of more than one year next before the filing of said petition, and has failed during said time to support the plaintiff and her children; and for an order restoring the plaintiff's maiden name and giving her the care and custody of the minor children of said plaintiff and defendant.

And unless he appear at the term of this court to be begun and held at the city of St. Louis on the first Monday of October next, and on or before the third day thereof answer the plaintiff's petition, the same will be taken against him as confessed.

And it is further ordered that a copy hereof be published according to law in the St. Louis Post-Dispatch, a newspaper printed and published in the city of St. Louis.

A true copy from the record.
Witness my hand and seal of the Circuit Court City of St. Louis, this 8th day of August, 1883.

(L. S.) CHAS. F. VOGEL, Clerk.
L. Georgeus, Atty.

ORDER OF PUBLICATION.

State of Missouri, City of St. Louis—ss.
In the Circuit Court City of St. Louis,
In Vacation of June Term, 1883.
Thursday, August 9, 1883.
Frances Rosenthal, plaintiff,
vs.
Marx Rosenthal, defendant.

It appearing from the affidavit of petition filed herein that the defendant is a non-r sident of the State of Missouri, wherefore

It is ordered that said defendant be notified that a civil action has been commenced against him, the object and general nature of which is to obtain a decree of divorce from the bonds of matrimony existing between plaintiff and defendant on the grounds that the defendant has absented himself from his usual place of abode in this State, so that the ordinary process of law cannot be served upon him, wherefore on the motion of the plaintiff by their attorney,

It is ordered that said defendant be notified that a civil action has been commenced against him, the object and general nature of which is to obtain a decree of divorce from the bonds of matrimony existing between plaintiff and defendant, on the ground that the defendant has, without reasonable cause, deserted said plaintiff, and absented himself from her for the period of more than one year next before the filing of said petition; and for an order restoring her maiden name and giving her the care and custody of her minor children of said plaintiff and defendant.

And unless he appear at the term of this court to be begun and held at the city of St. Louis on the first Monday of October next, and on or before the third day thereof answer the plaintiff's petition, the same will be taken against him as confessed.

And it is further ordered that a copy hereof be published according to law in the St. Louis Post-Dispatch, a newspaper printed and published in the city of St. Louis.

A true copy from the record.
Witness my hand and seal of the Circuit Court City of St. Louis, this 8th day of August, 1883.

(L. S.) CHAS. F. VOGEL, Clerk.
Martin & Fauntleroy, Attorneys.

ORDER OF PUBLICATION.

State of Missouri, City of St. Louis—ss.
In the Circuit Court City of St. Louis,
June Term, 1883.
Tuesday, August 7, 1883.
Josephine Hasselbarth,
vs.
Louis Hasselbarth.

It appearing from an affidavit filed in this cause this day, that the defendant has absconded and absented himself from his usual place of abode in this State, or that he conceals himself so that the ordinary process of law cannot be served upon him, therefore, on motion of plaintiff by attorney,

It is ordered that said defendant be notified that a civil action has been commenced against him, the object and general nature of which is to obtain a decree of divorce from the bonds of matrimony existing between plaintiff and defendant, on the ground that said defendant has offered such indignities to plaintiff as to render her condition intolerable, by frequently and on divers occasions kicking, whipping, and otherwise abusing said plaintiff, and by frequently associating with and spending his time in company of bad repute; and for an order awarding her the care and custody of her minor children, and for plaintiff and defendant, and awarding support and maintenance for herself and children.

And unless he appear at the term of this court to be begun and held at the city of St. Louis on the first Monday of October next, and on or before the third day thereof answer the plaintiff's petition, the same will be taken against him as confessed.

And it is further ordered that a copy hereof be published according to law in the St. Louis Post-Dispatch, a newspaper printed and published in the city of St. Louis.

A true copy from the record.
Witness my hand and seal of the Circuit Court City of St. Louis, this 8th day of August, 1883.

(L. S.) CHAS. F. VOGEL, Clerk.
J. R. Claiborne, plaintiff's attorney.

ORDERS OF PUBLICATION.

ORDER OF PUBLICATION.

State of Missouri, City of St. Louis—ss.
In the Circuit Court City of St. Louis.
June Term, 1883.
Tuesday, August 7, 1883.
C. M. Whitney, Assignee of Patrick J. Stephens
vs.
Florence M. Dickey, Sarah H. Dickey, Mary E. Tanner and Marietta Hilton.
No. 60,952.

It appearing to the court from the Sheriff's return of "non est" and from the affidavit filed in this cause on July 23, 1883, that the defendants Florence M. Dickey, Sarah H. Dickey and Mary E. Tanner cannot be found; that they have absconded or absented themselves from their ordinary place of abode in this State so that the ordinary process of law cannot be served upon them, therefore, on motion,

It is ordered that said defendants be notified that a civil action has been commenced against them for the sum of one hundred and sixty-one dollars and eighty cents, the object and general nature of which is to obtain a special judgment under the mechanics' lien law against the property of the defendants described in plaintiff's petition as follows, to-wit:

A certain lot of ground in the State of Missouri and in the city of St. Louis, in city block No. 12, beginning on the south line of Market street on the northeast corner of lot of Pierre Chouteau, jr.; thence south along the east line of said Chouteau lot 138 feet to an alley; thence east along said alley 25 feet 8 inches to a point; thence north 138 feet to the south line of Market street; thence west along Market street 25 feet 8 inches to the beginning, on which is erected a large four-story brick building with an L, containing twenty odd rooms and halls, said house being numbered 616 Market street, and for work and material furnished at the special instance and request of the defendant Florence M. Dickey.

And unless they appear at the term of this court to be begun and held at the city of St. Louis on the first Monday of October next, and on or before the third day thereof answer the plaintiff's petition, the same will be taken against them as confessed.

And it is further ordered that a copy hereof be published according to law in the St. Louis Post-Dispatch, a newspaper printed and published in the city of St. Louis.

A true copy from the record.
Witness my hand and seal of the Circuit Court City of St. Louis, this 8th day of August, 1883.

(L. S.) CHAS. F. VOGEL, Clerk.
Frederick Gottschalk & Bantz, Attorneys.

ORDER OF PUBLICATION.

State of Missouri, City of St. Louis—ss.
In the Circuit Court City of St. Louis,
June Term, 1883.
Friday, August 3, 1883.
Mary Burchardt
vs.
Gustav Burchardt.

It appearing from the affidavit to plaintiff's petition that the defendant is a non-resident of the State of Missouri, therefore on motion of said plaintiff, by his attorney

It is ordered that said defendant be notified that a civil action has been commenced against him, the object and general nature of which is to obtain a decree of divorce from the bonds of matrimony existing between plaintiff and defendant, on the grounds of habitual drunkenness and indignities.

And unless he appear at the term of this court to be begun and held at the city of St. Louis on the first Monday of October next, and on or before the third day thereof answer the plaintiff's petition, the same will be taken against him as confessed.

And it is further ordered that a copy hereof be published according to law in the St. Louis Post-Dispatch, a newspaper printed and published in the city of St. Louis.

A true copy from the record.
Witness my hand and seal of the Circuit Court City of St. Louis, this 8th day of August, 1883.

(L. S.) CHAS. F. VOGEL, Clerk.
James M. Loring, Plaintiff's Attorney.

ORDER OF PUBLICATION.

State of Missouri, City of St. Louis—ss.
In the Circuit Court City of St. Louis,
June Term, 1883.
Christine Ludwig, Gustav Ludwig, Martin Stahl, Margaretha Magdalene Welck, John Welck, Rosine Bergmann and Benjamin Bergmann.
vs.
William Stahl and John George Stahl.

It appearing from the affidavit to plaintiffs' petition that the defendant, William Stahl, is a non-resident of the State of Missouri, therefore, on motion of the plaintiffs by their attorney,

It is ordered that said defendant be notified that a civil action has been commenced against the defendants, the object and general nature of which is to obtain a decree of divorce from the bonds of matrimony existing between plaintiff and defendant, on the ground that the defendant has, without reasonable cause, deserted said plaintiff and absented himself from her for the period of more than one year next before the filing of said petition;

And unless he appear at the term of this court to be begun and held at the city of St. Louis on the first Monday of October next, and on or before the third day thereof answer the plaintiff's petition, the same will be taken against him as confessed.

And it is further ordered that a copy hereof be published according to law in the St. Louis Post-Dispatch, a newspaper printed and published in the city of St. Louis.

A true copy from the record.
Witness my hand and seal of the Circuit Court City of St. Louis, this 8th day of August, 1883.

(L. S.) CHAS. F. VOGEL, Clerk.
Henry Boemler, Plaintiff's Attorney.

ORDER OF PUBLICATION.

State of Missouri, City of St. Louis—ss.
In the Circuit Court City of St. Louis,
June Term, 1883.
Wednesday, August 1, 1883.
Mary Craig
vs.
Richard Craig.
vs.
Georgiana Craig.

It appearing from the petition of the plaintiff, herein duly verified by affidavit, that the defendant is a non-resident of the State of Missouri, therefore, on motion of the plaintiff by attorney,

It is ordered that said defendant be notified that a civil action has been commenced against her, the object and general nature of which is to obtain a decree of divorce from the bonds of matrimony existing between plaintiff and defendant, on the ground that the defendant has without reasonable cause, deserted said plaintiff and absented herself from the plaintiff without a reasonable cause for the space of one year, to-wit: Since last day of August, A. D., 1882.

And unless she appear at the term of this court to be begun and held at the city of St. Louis on the first Monday of October next, and on or before the third day thereof answer the plaintiff's petition, the same will be taken against her as confessed.

And it is further ordered that a copy hereof be published according to law in the St. Louis Post-Dispatch, a newspaper printed and published in the city of St. Louis.

Witness my hand and seal of the Circuit Court City of St. Louis, this 8th day of August, 1883.

(L.S.) CHAS. F. VOGEL, Clerk.
Louis Georgeus, Plaintiff's Attorney.

ORDER OF PUBLICATION.

State of Missouri, City of St. Louis—ss.
In the Probate Court for the City of St. Louis,
June Term, 1883.
Wednesday, July 25, A. D. 1883.
Estate of Duncan S. Carter.

Now at this day comes Leicester Babcock, administrator of the estate of Duncan S. Carter, deceased, and presents to the court his petition praying for an order for the sale of so much of the real estate of said deceased as will pay and satisfy the remaining debts due by said estate and yet unpaid for want of sufficient assets, accompanied by the accounts, lists and inventories required by law in such case, on examination whereof

It is ordered that all persons interested in the estate of said deceased be notified that application, as aforesaid, has been made, and that, unless the contrary be shown on or before the first day of the next term of this court, to be begun and held at the city of St. Louis, within and for the said city of St. Louis, on the second Monday of September next, an order will be made for the sale of the whole or so much of the real estate of said deceased as will be sufficient for the payment of said debts.

And it is further ordered that a copy hereof be published in some newspaper printed in the city of St. Louis aforesaid for four weeks before the next term of this court.

A true copy from the record.
Witness my hand and the seal of the Probate Court of the City of St. Louis, hereto affixed this 25th day of July, 1883.

(L. S.) W. E. WAGNER, Clerk.
Thos. C. Fletcher, attorney.

ORDER OF PUBLICATION.

State of Missouri, City of St. Louis—ss.
In the Circuit Court City of St. Louis,
June Term, 1883.
Friday, August 3, 1883.
Mary Burchardt
vs.
Gustav Burchardt.

It appearing from the affidavit to plaintiff's petition that the defendant is a non-resident of the State of Missouri, therefore on motion of said plaintiff, by his attorney

It is ordered that said defendant be notified that a civil action has been commenced against him, the object and general nature of which is to obtain a decree of divorce from the bonds of matrimony existing between plaintiff and defendant, on the grounds of habitual drunkenness and indignities.

And unless he appear at the term of this court to be begun and held at the city of St. Louis on the first Monday of October next, and on or before the third day thereof answer the plaintiff's petition, the same will be taken against him as confessed.

And it is further ordered that a copy hereof be published according to law in the St. Louis Post-Dispatch, a newspaper printed and published in the city of St. Louis.

A true copy from the record.
Witness my hand and seal of the Circuit Court City of St. Louis, this 8th day of August, 1883.

(L. S.) CHAS. F. VOGEL, Clerk.
James M. Loring, Plaintiff's Attorney.

ORDER OF PUBLICATION.

State of Missouri, City of St. Louis—ss.
In the Circuit Court City of St. Louis,
June Term, 1883.
Christine Ludwig, Gustav Ludwig, Martin Stahl, Margaretha Magdalene Welck, John Welck, Rosine Bergmann and Benjamin Bergmann.
vs.
William Stahl and John George Stahl.

It appearing from the affidavit to plaintiffs' petition that the defendant, William Stahl, is a non-resident of the State of Missouri, therefore, on motion of the plaintiffs by their attorney,

It is ordered that said defendant be notified that a civil action has been commenced against the defendants, the object and general nature of which is to obtain a decree of divorce from the bonds of matrimony existing between plaintiff and defendant, on the ground that the defendant has, without reasonable cause, deserted said plaintiff and absented himself from her for the period of more than one year next before the filing of said petition;

And unless he appear at the term of this court to be begun and held at the city of St. Louis on the first Monday of October next, and on or before the third day thereof answer the plaintiff's petition, the same will be taken against him as confessed.

And it is further ordered that a copy hereof be published according to law in the St. Louis Post-Dispatch, a newspaper printed and published in the city of St. Louis.

A true copy from the record.
Witness my hand and seal of the Circuit Court City of St. Louis, this 8th day of August, 1883.

(L. S.) CHAS. F. VOGEL, Clerk.
Henry Boemler, Plaintiff's Attorney.

OR